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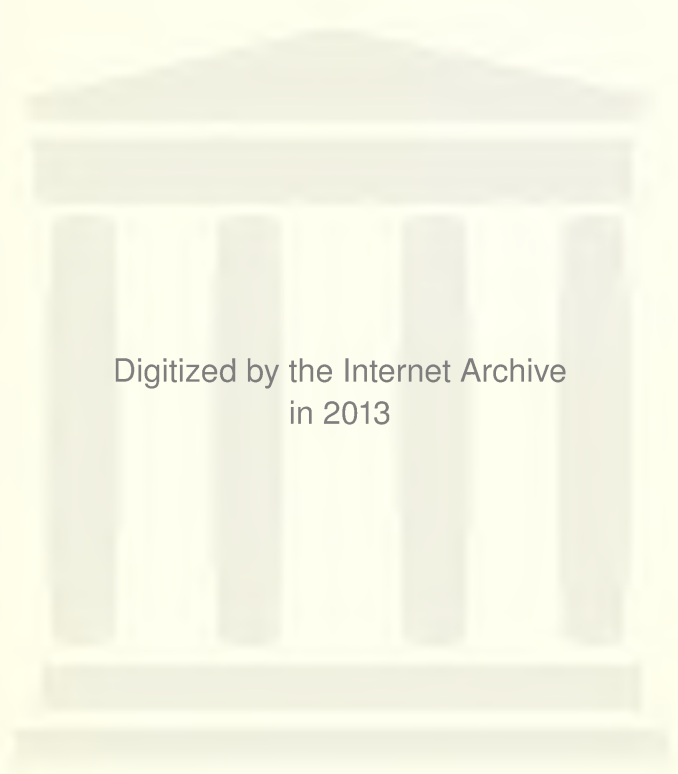

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NORTH CAROLINA

SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION

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NORTH CAROLINA

1971

HELD WITH

COWEE BAPTIST CHURCH
(Night Session)

LONGVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
(Day Session)

SEPTEMBER 9-10, 1971

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The Next Annual Night Session of the Association will be held with the Higdonville Baptist Church and the Day Session with the Burningtown Baptist Church on September 7 - 8, 1972.

Moderator ------- Dr. W. Thomas Lane

Clerk ---------- Mrs. Ruth B. Hess

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

Moderator	Rev. Earl Dendy
Vice-Moderator	Rev. Judson Duvall
Clerk	Mrs. Ruth B. Hess
Treasurer	Mrs. Betty Penland
Historian	Miss Mae McCoy

Chairman of the Executive Promotion Committee -- Moderator

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Sunday School Director	Mr. Verlin Curtis
Associate Director	Mrs. Charles Cabe
Secretary	Mrs. Glen Farmer
Pianist	Mrs. Clyde Kinsland
Chorister	Mr. Jack Powell
Supt. of Training	
Supt. of Evangelism	Rev. Paul Morgan
Supt. of Extension	Rev. Jim Crayton
Supt. of Vacation Bible School	Mrs. Jack Powell

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Adults -- 18 and up	Rev. Jack King
Young People -- 12 - 17	Mrs. Clyde Drake
Children -- 6 - 11	Mrs. Charles Pickens
Pre-School -- birth - 5	Mrs. Grady Corbin

CHURCH TRAINING OFFICERS

Director	Mr. John Rogers
Associate Director	Mr. Roy Lowe
Secretary	Mrs. Grady Corbin
Pianist	Miss Sharon Johnson
Chorister	Mr. John Johnson
Pastor Advisor	Rev. Cecil Frady
Adults -- 18 and up	Mr. Grady Nicholson
Young Division -- 12 - 17	Miss Karen Cook
Children's Division -- 6 - 11	Mr. Jim Williamson
Pre-School Division -- birth - 5	Mrs. Gene Collett

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS

Director	Mrs. Minnie Berry*
Associate Director	Mrs. Mamie Raby*
Secretary and Treasurer	Mrs. Dean Johnson*
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Mary Justice
Baptist Women Director	Mrs. Louie Cochran
Baptist Young Women Director	Mrs. Larry Cabe
Acteen Director	Mrs. Edd Brogden
Girls In Action Director	Mrs. Linda McKay
Mission Friends Director	Mrs. Jack Dillard
Social Chairman	Mrs. Elizabeth Mason

*In Appreciation

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS

Director	Mr. Gene Collett
Associate Director	Mr. Fred Stiles
Young Men's Leader	
Adult Men's Leader	
R. A. Leader	
Secretary	Mr. Gardner Holden

STANDING COMMITTEES

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:
- Rev. C.C. Welch, Chmn.
- Rev. Ernie Sanders
- Rev. Judson Hall
- Mr. Arvel Parker
- Mr. Bill Higdon

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:
- Mr. J. C. Jacobs
- Mr. Zeb Hall
- Rev. Bill Rice
- Rev. Bill Shields
- Mr. Bob Bishop
- Rev. Earl Dendy
- Rev. Harry Garner

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE:
- Rev. Jess Cunningham
- Rev. Bill Shields
- Rev. Alton Dendy

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:
- Rev. C. C. Welch
- Rev. Andy Cloer
- Rev. Wiley Gibson
- Mr. Cliff Cook
- Mr. Marshall Fouts

RESOLUTIONS:
- Mrs. Cliff Cook
- Mrs. Clyde Kinsland

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE:
- Rev. M. I. Brock
- Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
- Rev. Gene Hawkins

TRUSTEES:
- Mr. Merritt Fouts
- Mr. Stanley Penland
- Mr. Roy Rickman

MUSIC COMMITTEE:
- Mr. John Johnson

PROGRAM & PLACE COMMITTEE:
- Moderator, Vice-Moderator
- Field Worker
- Two Laymen

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES:
- Moderator, Vice-Moderator
- Field Worker
- Sunday School Director
- Church Training Director
- WMU Director
- Brotherhood Director

TRUTETT CAMP COMMITTEE:
- Rev. Jim Crayton
- Rev. Judson Hall

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL AGENCIES:

Children's Home	Mr. Roy Rickman
Baptist Hospital	Mr. Bruce Bryant
Homes For Aging	Mr. John Roper
Christian Education	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Biblical Recorder	Mr. Edd Brogden
Cooperative Program	Mr. Swann Elliott
Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
Minister's Retirement	Rev. Judson Hall

COMMITTEE ON PASTORLESS CHURCHES:
- Missions Committee

CONSTITUTION

As Amended from Time to Time

ARTICLE I - Name

This Association shall be known as the Macon Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II - Object

The object of this Association shall be:

1. To cultivate a friendly union among the churches for their mutual benefit.
2. To cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention in the promotion of the causes of Associational Missions, State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and such other objects as these conventions may foster.

ARTICLE III - Membership

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Macon County who shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers.

Section 2. This Association shall have the right to determine what churches shall be admitted to its union, and to withdraw fellowship from any, for not complying with its rules or with the Articles of its Constitution and By-Laws, or for violating orthodox principles as set forth and believed by Southern Baptists.

Section 3. Any church desiring membership in the Association will present its request at any regular annual meeting. The request will be referred to a Credential Committee appointed by the Association, which committee, will examine the church's articles of faith, covenant, form of organization and such other matters as deemed necessary. Upon favorable report of the committee at the next annual meeting of the Association, the church may be received into fellowship by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present.

Section 4. It shall be a duty of each church to furnish the Association each year a letter, on a form provided by the clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form; and to send with the letter or by a messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes of the Association. This letter and accompanying money to cover cost of minutes requested shall be in the clerk's hands thirty (30) days prior to annual meeting.

ARTICLE IV - Meetings

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the first Sunday in September. The associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

Section 2. The business of the Association shall be transacted by the pastors of the several churches, and two messengers from each church, together with one additional messenger for every fifty members or fraction thereof above the first fifty, with no church having more than fifteen messengers.

Section 3. This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules as may be adopted, amended or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. "Roberts' Rules of Order" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE V - Officers and Committees

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, and three trustees.

Section 2. The standing Committees of this Association shall be the Executive Committee, the Missions Committee, the Nominating Committee, Credential and Ordination Committee, Evangelism Committee, Program and Place Committee, and such other committees as the body may direct. The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be Ex-Officio members of all standing Committees.

ARTICLE VI - Associational Missionary

Section 1. The Association shall employ an Associational Missionary whose duties are described as follows:

(a) Work with and under the general supervision of the Missions Committee of the Association in maintaining and directing the Associational Program of Missions.

(b) Give guidance, counsel, and assistance whenever possible, and/or as needed to associational officers, organizations, and committees.

(c) Share and distribute information concerning plans and activities of the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention as they relate to the work and program of the churches.

(d) Make himself available to each church and pastor, as his schedule permits, for any service he might render, such as preaching, teaching and counseling.

(e) Administer or execute any other activities that the Association shall direct.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall be called for an indefinite term to serve until the relationship is disolved at the request of eigher the Missionary or the Association. In either case, at least sixty days notice shall be given of termination of the relationship, unless otherwise mututally agreed, with both the Missionary and the Association seeking to follow the will of God and the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Section 3. The missionary shall be provided with such salary and expenses as the Missions Committee shall recommend with the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VII - Amendments

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the annual meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I - Election of Officers

All general officers of this Association shall be elected at each annual meeting upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee. The terms of office to begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting and to continue until the close of the next annual meeting. Any vacancies occurring in the interim shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II - Duties of Officers

Section 1. THE MODERATOR: The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officers of a deliberative body and shall also serve as chairman of the Executive Committee. He shall serve not more than two years consecutively. He shall appoint during the first session committees to report at the Annual Associational Meeting. These committees are: Resolutions and any other committees.

Section 2. THE VICE-MODERATOR: The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.

Section 3. THE CLERK: The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association and have the same printed and distributed subject to the approval of the Moderator and Treasurer.

Section 4. THE TREASURER: The Treasurer shall preserve all monies paid into the body and pay the same upon the instruction of the Association, or Missions Committee. He shall make a quarterly report to the Executive Committee and an annual report to the Association.

Section 5. THE HISTORIAN: The Historian shall record and keep a record of such items as would be of interest to a future historian, in a book kept for that purpose. He shall keep a file of the Associational minutes.

Section 6. THE TRUSTEES: The Trustees shall be three in number and shall hold title to all properties owned by the Association. No conveyance or deed-of-trust shall be executed affecting the title of said property except upon the instructions of the annual meeting of the Association or the Executive Committee. The Trustees shall serve terms of three years with one-third elected each year.

ARTICLE III - The Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the pastors of the churches of the Association, and one lay member from each church.

Section 2. The lay members shall be elected by the Church and reported to the Association on the Annual Associational Letter. The officers of the Association, heads of Associational Organizations and pastors are automatically on the committee by virtue of the places of leadership they hold in the Association.

Section 3. Duties of the Executive Committee:

(a) To meet quarterly and upon call of the chairman.

(b) To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.

(c) To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational Officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired terms.

(d) To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.

ARTICLE IV - The Missions Committee

Section 1. The Missions Committee shall be composed of four pastors and three laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The pastors shall be elected for a term of two years with one-half the number being elected each year. The laymen shall be elected for a term of three years with one-third of the number being elected each year. The committee shall elect its chairman and secretary each year.

Section 2. Duties of the Missions Committee: To lead in our Associational Missions Program through:

(a) General supervision and guidance of the Associational Mission Program.

(b) Seeking out an Associational Missionary, making nominations in event of vacancy.

(c) Planning a Program of Activities with the Associational Missionary.

(d) The Recommendation of an Associational Budget to the Executive Committee meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Association.

(e) The supervision of the expenditure of the budget.

(f) The enlistment of the churches in the active financial support of the Associational Mission program.

ARTICLE V - The Credential and Ordination Committee

Section 1. The Credential and Ordination Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Credential and Ordination Committee:

(a) Examine applications churches seeking admission into Association.

(b) Make necessary recommendations to the Association.

(c) Encourage all churches to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry.

(d) Upon the invitation of the church conducting the ordination, represent the Association on the examining council.

ARTICLE VI - The Nominating Committee

Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen to be appointed by the Moderator during the first session of each annual Associational Meeting. The first named shall be chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Nominating Committee:

(a) To nominate the general officers of the Association.

(b) To nominate the Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

(c) To nominate the Associational Training Union Director.

(d) To nominate the Orphanage, Hospital, Biblical Recorder, and Baptist Home for the aging representatives.

(e) To nominate Associational Brotherhood president.

(f) To nominate Associational Music Director.

(g) To nominate the standing committees that are to function during the year between the sessions of the Association.

(h) To fill vacancies occuring in any of the standing committees during the year.

Section 3. All other officers are to be recommended by the heads of the organizations and departments to the Nominating Committee.

ARTICLE VII - Committee on Evangelism

Section 1. The Committee on Evangelism shall be composed of three members nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Committee on Evangelism:

(a) Study and keep the Association and trend of Baptism within the Association.

(b) Plan and promote such meetings as will keep the cause of Evangelism before the Association.

ARTICLE VIII - Program and Place Committee

Section 1. This committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary and two laymen.

Section 2. Duties:

(a) This committee shall plan the program of the annual meeting as to time, place, and preacher and all necessary events.

(b) This program shall be presented to the Executive Committee at its last regular meeting before the Association.

ARTICLE IX - Reports

All reports to the Annual Associational Meeting are to be in the Associational Missionary's office thirty (30) days prior to the Associational Meeting.

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PROGRAM

THEME: "Living The Spirit of Christ Creatively"

NIGHT SESSION WITH COWEE BAPTIST CHURCH

September 9, 1971 - 7:30 P.M.

7:30	Call to Order	Moderator
	Chorus: "Fall Fresh On Me"	Mr. John Johnson
	Hymn: "Come Thou Almighty King"	Mr. John Johnson
7:35	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Recognition of Pastors and Visitors	Moderator
	Enrollment and Statistical Report	Mrs. Ruth B. Hess
	Report of Committee on Order of Business	Moderator
7:50	"Living the Spirit of Christ Creatively Through Missions"	
	Associational Missions	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
	Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
	State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
8:10	"Living The Spirit of Christ Creatively through Baptist Literature"	
	Biblical Recorder Report Speaker:	Mrs. Edd Brogden
8:25	Woman's Missionary Union Report	Mrs. Minnie Berry
8:35	Hymn: "Breathe On Me"	Mr. John Johnson
	Business	
	Executive Promotion Committee Report	Moderator
	Treasurer's Report	Mrs. Betty Penland
	Finance Committee Report	Rev. Earl Dendy
	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Earl Dendy
	Miscellaneous Business	
8:50	Hymn: "Seal Us, O Holy Spirit"	Mr. John Johnson
	Annual Sermon and Benediction	Rev. C. C. Welch

DAY SESSION WITH LONGVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning Session - September 10, 1971 - 9:30 A. M.

THEME: "Living the Spirit of Christ Creatively through Ministry"

9:30	Hymn: "Who Is On The Lord's Side?"	Mr. John Johnson
	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. Cecil Frady
9:40	Report on Evangelism	Rev. Jess Cunningham
9:50	Cooperative Program Report Speaker:	Mr. Swann Elliott
10:05	Baptist Foundation Report	Mr. Gordon Maddrey
10:15	Appointment of Nominating Committee	Moderator
	Hymn: "Lead On, Oh King Eternal"	Mr. John Johnson

10:20	Special Speakers: ----------	Mr. Mike Jamison Rev. Luther Osmond
	Ministering through Social Service	
	Home For The Aging Report --------	Mr. John Roper
	Speakers:	
	Baptist Hospital Report ----------	Mr. Bruce Bryant
	Speaker:	Dr. W. K. McGee
	Children's Home Report ----------	Mr. Roy Rickman
	Speaker:	Mr. Hugh Starnes
11:05	Report on Minister's Retirement ----	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Speaker:	
11:20	Hymn: "In The Old-Time Way" -------	Mr. John Johnson
11:25	Doctrinal Message ----------	Rev. Ernie Sanders
12:00	Fellowship and Lunch	
	Grace for the Meal ----------	Rev. Andy Cloer

AFTERNOON SESSION - SEPTEMBER 10, 1971 - 1:00 P. M.

1:00	Chorus: "Fall Fresh On Me"	
	Hymn: "Break Thou the Bread of Life" -	Mr. John Johnson
	Scripture and Prayer ----------	Rev. Alton Dendy
1:10	Report of Associational Committees ---	Rev. Earl Dendy
	Report of Nominating Committee ------	Moderator
	Place and Preacher Committee -------	Moderator
1:25	"Living the Spirit of Christ Creatively through Education"	
	Christian Education Report ----------	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
	Speaker:	
	Fruitland ----------	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Seminary Extension Report ---------	Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
	Truett Camp Report ----------	Rev. J. W. Myers
2:00	"Living the Spirit of Christ Creatively through Associational Programs"	
	Vacation Bible School ----------	Mrs. Mary Powell
	Brotherhood Report ----------	Mr. Gene Collett
	Church Training Report ----------	Mr. Don Ledford
	Sunday School Report ----------	Mr. Verlin Curtis
	Music Report ----------	Mr. John Johnson
	County Wide Deacons Report	
2:20	Honoring the Deceased ----------	Rev. J. W. Myers Rev. Alton Dendy
2:30	Resolutions Committee Report --------	Mrs. Jeter Higdon
2:35	Historian Report ----------	Miss Mae McCoy
2:45	Hymn: "Amazing Grace"	
2:50	Inspirational Message ----------	Rev. Jess Cunningham
	Installation of Officers for 1971-1972 --	Rev. C. C. Welch
	Benediction ----------	Rev. Earl Dendy

PROCEEDINGS
and
REPORTS
of the
SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "Living the Spirit of Christ Creatively"

The Macon Baptist Association met is its Sixty-Eighth Annual Session with Cowee Baptist Church on Thursday Evening, September 9, 1971

THURSDAY EVENING - SEPTEMBER 9, 1971
COWEE BAPTIST CHURCH

1. The Association was called to order by Dr. W. Thomas Lane, Moderator at 7:30 p.m. Mr. John Johnson, Associational Music Director, led in singing, "Fall Fresh On Me" and "Come Thou Almighty King" with Mrs. Carl Neal at the organ and Miss Linda Frady at the piano.

2. Rev. J. W. Myers, host pastor, extended a warm welcome to the sixty-eighth session at Cowee Baptist Church. His scripture was Romans 10:1-13 followed by prayer.

3. Pastors and visitors were recognized at this time and a warm welcome extended to them by the Moderator. The count was 15 pastors and one visitor.

4. The report on enrollment and statistics was submitted by the clerk. The clerk received 42 letters representing 133 messengers. A roll call was made of the churches.

The clerk moved that the appointed messengers present and the duly elected messengers arriving later in the meeting, constitute the governing body of this associational meeting, also the adoption of the statistical summary. Motion passed. Report adopted.

5. It was moved and seconded that the printed program, with necessary modifications be adopted. Motion carried.

6. Rev. Cecil Frady, Associational Field Worker, presented the report on Associational Missions with an emphasis on "unity, love and cooperation" in doing our Lord's work together this new year. Rev. Frady moved the adoption of this report. Motion carried and adopted.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

There have been many accomplishments in the past year in our Macon Baptist Association. We still need to reach out more in coming associational years.

Many churches have improved their buildings, grounds, brought new pews and re-modeled their buildings and some added new buildings. We thank God for all these improvements.

However, the greatest need we have in this Association is what God demands of us: Give ourselves totally to Him and take up our cross and follow Him, and seek His will first and all things will be added unto us. Unity, Love, and cooperation is a great need among our people in this association. The Bible says the greatest is love; then we can serve homeless children, sick, preach and teach.

We of Macon Baptist should set a great example for our Lord's work. Will you join in this great task when you are called on to serve. Will your answer be yes, or will you say I don't have time? The time is coming when no man can work, then all that will count is what we have done for our Lord and Master Jesus Christ.

Churches lets not forget our special offerings and prayer for all phases of our Southern Baptist work, State and Associational work. I trust in the coming year we can begin a great work for our Savior that will spread through the county, state, nation and world. Through giving to the Cooperative Program helps to relieve hunger, and relieves suffering of both body and soul. We have our Children's Home, Home for Aging, Hospital, Colleges, and all our mission offerings. I trust we can increase all these offerings in 1972. Our little gift might not be much but when compiled with all other Southern Baptist churches it can become great.

The New Macon Baptist Home and Office is almost completed. After getting set up we feel it will be much better having it all under one roof. We are grateful for all who have had a part in this project and their prayers and interest. We really need to pray for our pastors, leaders and all who are trying to carry on and build the work for our Lord in these times in which we live. If you can't work, teach or visit, you can communicate with God in behalf of our work. If you who are Christians will pray and seek God's will, I don't think we would have to be asked the second time when called upon to work.

We're grateful for the Macon Baptist Youth Crusaders organized in June and since that time they have been used almost every Sunday and many Wednesday night services. Pray for these youth and other youth as they return to college this fall; that they might witness for Him who died for us all.

Our prayer is that 1971-1972 will be the best year for Jesus Christ; our Association has ever had and "To God Be The Glory"

Let's do together what we cannot do alone, and live the Spirit of Christ Creatively in all that we do for Him as we begin a new Associational year.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Cecil Frady, Assoc. Missions.

7. The Home Missions report prepared by Mrs. John H. Campbell was received as information.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

As the body of Christ a church is to live just as Jesus lived - in sacrifical service meeting the total needs of all people. The church has one basic mission: to bear witness to Jesus Christ. The New Testament ideal sets the pattern for how the witnessing is to be done; through verbal proclamation, through the unique fellowship which believers enjoy Christ. Christians should be at home amid concern about total human need. Multitudes have not heard the gospel clearly presented. Surely the God who so loved the world that he sent His Son to die for our sin is calling Baptist to creative, aggressive ways to confront lost men in our nation with the gospel.

More than 2,200 home missionaries are busy cutting channels of commitment through the needs of America's millions. US-2 missionaries fill gaps. They do work that career home missionaries do not have time to do. Through the Cooperative Program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering you help to make possible the work of these missionaries.

"If a man has means and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against his brother, how can he claim that he has love for God in his heart?" Let us respond with a total commitment and pray and give that a Great Awakening may sweep our entire nation.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. John H. Campbell

8. The Foreign Missions report prepared by Miss Barbara Roper was received as information.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

On May 1, 1971 Southern Baptist missionaries were under appointment to 76 geographical or political entities. At the close of 1970 the Foreign Mission Board had an overseas Missionary staff of 2,501. This included 165 missionary associates, 4 special project medical personnel, and 121 missionary journeymen. Appointments during the year totaled 182. Between January and May 1971, 35 more were added.

Underlying all our missionary endeavors is the ultimate purpose of leading people to new life in Jesus Christ and the cultivation of New Testament churches. Organized churches with which Southern Baptist Missionaries are related on mission fields now total 5,853, of which 75 percent are self-supporting.

Publication ministries are an important part of Southern Baptist overseas missions, as all kinds of Christian Literature are provided for purposes of evangelism and the developing of vigorous church life. Our Missionaries assisted in producing over 27 million pieces of literature: tracts, books, periodicals, Bibles, hymnals, and other such items last year.

The program of hospitals and medical care serves the physical needs of thousands of people who would otherwise be neglected and often opens strategic doors for evangelistic witness. During 1970, missionaries and national workers engaged in this ministry treated more than 51,000 impatients and saw nearly 930,000 outpatients.

Critical personnel needs continue throughout our mission fields. How long must they wait until all the world has heard the message of salvation? May we pray that God will send forth laborers unto the harvest and that we, his laborers, may be willing to do our part in this great movement.

Respectfully submitted, (Miss) Barbara Roper

9. The State Missions report prepared by Mrs. Paul Ammons was received as information.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

State Missions helps you to help others; you help others when a new church is started with State Mission Aid.

You can go into every community in North Carolina through State Missions as commanded by our Lord. "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature," said Jesus in Mark 16:15b

You help others when State Missions aids a family in trouble, juveniles who have broken the law, or alcoholics who need personal attention.

You are helping others when, State Missions lead people to know Christ, as Lord and Savior in a resort ministry or a mission Vacation Bible School or some other area of State Mission work.

You are helping others in need of Christ as your church gives through the Cooerative Program since State Missions receives its major support from this channel.

Are you willing to go another mile in helping others by giving a love offering to State Missions on the third Sunday in September?

How much will you give to help someone else live the abundant life?

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Paul Ammons

10. The printed report on the Biblical Recorder was accepted as information.

REPORT OF THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

At a time when some religious publications are losing circulation, it is good to report that the BIBLICAL RECORDER has passed 93,000, the highest circulation in its 138 year history. This circulation is a tribute to the Baptists of North Carolina who support the paper so faithfully.

Even though inflation continues to create problems, you can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for the same price it was in 1960, only $2.00 a year. It is not known how long this reasonable price can be made available and that is all the more reason churches should enlist immediately.

The RECORDER likes to report all the good news it can about Baptists. The paper is proud to be the instrument that communicates to the world what our denomination is doing. When evil needs to be exposed, however, the RECORDER does not shun it. This was evidenced again in the legislature this year as the liquor managed only small gains. And these may turn out to be unconstitutional. We are referring to the local option liquor by the drink elections in Moore and Mecklenburg Counties. The RECORDER stresses Christian citizenship. Perhaps this is one reason the paper continues to reach more and more people - it stands for something.

The RECORDER appreciates every reader and supporter. The cost is reasonable. You can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for only 4¢ a week - half the cost of mailing a letter. There is no more economical way to have an informed membership than by sending the RECORDER to every family.

Respectfully submitted, J. Marse Grant, Editor
Submitted to Association, Mrs. Ed Brogden

11. The Woman's Missionary Union report prepared by Mrs. N. L. Gilbert was accepted as information.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

During the past year the Woman's Missionary Union has participated in the following programs:

1. Youth Carol Sing held in December with 35 participating.
2. Home Mission Study held in February with Miss Barbara Roper leading.
3. A two day Prayer Retreat held in May with 55 members attending. Miss Bertha Smith, retired missionary, China, led the study and prayer program.
4. Associational leaders will attend Leadership Conference at Mundo Vista to be followed by Leadership Conference in September at First Baptist Church.

Even though the WMU methods have changed somewhat during the past year, the goals are the same: to teach Missions, to engage in Missions Action, to support World Missions through praying and giving, and to provide and interpret information regarding the work of the church and denomination.

Respectfully submitted, Associate Director
Mrs. N. L. Gilbert

12. Mr. John Johnson led in singing, "Breathe On Me".
13. The Executive Promotion Committee's report was accepted as information. The Moderator spoke to this report.
14. Attention was called to the Treasurer's report. Report adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Amount Brought Forward From Previous Year $ 1,332.38

Contributions for Year

Bethel Hell	$ 5.00	Longview	190.00
Black Mountain	4.00	Mashburn Branch	100.00
Briartown	62.00	Mount Hope	364.96
Buck Creek	6.00	Mountain Grove	3.00
Burningtown	894.40	Nantahala	4.00
Calvary	26.00	Newman's Chapel	209.62
Cartoogechaye	322.00	Oak Grove	55.00
Clear Creek	94.35	Pine Grove	68.00
Cowee	620.00	Prentiss	55.00
Coweeta	65.00	Ridgecrest	277.56
East Franklin	52.00	Shortoff	108.36
Ellijay	61.00	Sugarfork	132.00
Franklin, First	1,436.60	Tellico	8.00
Goldmine	188.00	Walnut Creek	96.00
Higdonville	160.00	Watauga	1,320.00
Highlands, First	456.00	Wells Grove	125.00
Holly Springs	505.60	West Franklin	120.00
Iotla	360.00	West Union	40.25
Liberty	75.00	Windy Gap	185.00

Individual Copies of Minutes	4.00
Mimeograph Paper Sold	7.40
Telephone Call (Cash Paid)	1.00
Refund on Registration Fees for VBS Clinic	6.00
Cecil Frady (Refund on Expenses to State Baptist Convention and Evangelistic Conference	52.00
Anonymous Donor	50.00
Cecil Frady	130.00
Alvin Growe	20.00
Jesse Cunningham	100.00
H. S. Dendy ($10 direct to State Cooperative Program)	29.00
Earl Justice (Holly Springs)	60.00
Mrs. Minnie Lamb	10.00
W. L. Long (Newman's Chapel)	10.00
Meredith Sage (Holly Springs)	60.00
Glenn Shuler	110.00
H. A. Smith	5.00
Rev. Judd Smith	5.00
Gordon Talley	20.00
N. C. Baptist State Convention	2,399.00
Total Contributions for Year	$ 11,933.10

Borrowed from Macon County Building and Loan Association (Borrowed until maturity date on semi-annual interest on Savings Account)	$ 10,600.00
Total, All Income Received during Year	$ 23,865.48

Disbursements

Office Rent	$ 240.00
Office Supplies	65.11
Office Telephone	222.39
Telephone for Field Worker's Home	39.82
Rent for Field Worker's Home	630.00
Postage and Mailing Permit	114.64
Moving Expenses for Field Worker	32.00
Baptist Book Store	30.82

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Rev. Cecil Frady (Expenses to State Baptist Convention) ------	$ 50.00
Rev. Cecil Frady (Expenses to Evangelistic Conference) ---------	50.00
Rev. Gerald Bearden ("M" Night Speaker) ----------	25.00
N. C. Baptist Hospital (West Union) ----------	10.00
N. C. Baptist State Cooperative Program (H.S. Dendy) ----------	10.00
Reservation Fees for 9 delegates to Vacation Bible School Clinic ---	18.00
Don Henry (Notarizing Right-of-Way for Road to New Home) -----	8.00
Lake Shope (Registration of Right-of-Way) ----------	5.50
Franklin Construction Company (Grading and gravel at new home) --	808.16
Claude Welch (1/3 of Contract Price of new home for Field Worker)	11,500.00
Betty Penland (Treasurer's Salary, July 1, 1969 through June 30, 71 --	100.00
Rev. Harvey Stewart (Clerk's Salary) July 1, 1970 through June 30'71 -	100.00
Rev. J. W. Myers (Salary) ----------	375.00
Rev. Cecil Frady (Salary and Travel) ----------	4,034.61
Total Disbursements for Year ----------	$ 18,469.05
Transferred to Savings Account, Macon County Bldg. & Loan --	$ 2,500.00
Balance on Hand, June 30, 1971, Regular Checking Account --	$ 2,896.43
Balance on Hand in Saving Account, Macon County Bldg. and Loan Association -----	$ 10,895.60

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Stanley Penland, Treasurer

15. It was moved and seconded to accept the proposed budget for 1971-1972. Attention was called to the Field Worker's Housing stating that this amount was estimated and may fluctuate this year. Rev. Earl Dendy spoke to this report. Report adopted.

BUDGET FOR 1971-1972

SALARIES:		
Field Worker's Salary ----------	$ 5,200.00	
Treasurer's Salary ----------	100.00	
Clerk's Salary ----------	100.00	
Total Salaries ----------	$ 5,400.00	
General Expense:		
Field Worker's Housing ----------	$ 1,500.00	
Field Worker's Travel Expense ----------	1,000.00	
Field Worker's Convention Expense ----------	300.00	
Field Worker's Annunity ----------	400.00	
Office Phone ----------	225.00	
Printing of Minutes (extras) ----------	60.00	
Office Supplies and Postage ----------	225.00	
Total General Expenses ----------	$ 3,510.00	
PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES:		
Sunday School ----------	$ 50.00	
Training Union ----------	50.00	
Brotherhood and RA's ----------	50.00	
Woman's Missionary Union ----------	125.00	
Missions Committee ----------	25.00	
Music Department ----------	25.00	
Vacation Bible School ----------	50.00	
	$ 350.00	
Grand Total ----------	$ 9,260.00	
Less Convention Supplement ----------	$ 2,600.00	
To be raised by the churches ----------	$ 6,660.00	

16. It was moved and seconded that we accept the Missions Committee report. Rev. Earl Dendy spoke to this report. Motion adopted.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

This has been a very busy year for your Missions Committee. The first thing that demanded our attention was to find a man that we could recommend to our Executive Committee for Associational Missionary. After much prayer and talking to the fine men that had presented their applications, this committee recommended Rev. Cecil Frady to be our Superintendent of Missions.

Then we proceeded to secure a right of way to our property on Iolta Street. This we finally accomplished. We sent copies of our building plans for our Field Worker's home and office to all the churches and asked for their support. The response was not as great as we had hoped for, but great enough for us to proceed with our building plans. We presented the plans to different builders for bids. After receiving the bids we recommended to the Executive Committee that the contract be given to the lowest bidder, Claude Welch. We are happy to report at this tine the building is almost complete. Finally, the Missions Committee recommended that the Trustees be permitted to borrow the money necessary to continue the work on the Field Workers's home and office.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Earl Dendy, Chairman

Miscellaneous Business:

17. Rev. C. C. Welch moved the adoption of all the reports given during this evening session of the associational meeting. It was seconded and all the reports were adopted.

18. The Moderator led in singing, "Seal Us, O Holy Spirit".

19. Time having come for the Annual Sermon, Rev. C. C. Welch led in prayer and read his scripture John 14:16-20. His sermon title was, His Life and Testimony. His message was presented further under the following points: (1) Life as a Christian, (2) the Holy Spirit working in your life; (3) letting the Holy Spirit show creativity through your life.

Rev. Welch closed with prayer to adjourn the evening session.

Adjournment was at 9:00 p.m.

FRIDAY MORNING - SEPTEMBER 10, 1971

LONGVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

PROCEEDINGS:

20. Longview was host for this session. Moderator, Dr. W. Thomas Lane called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. Mr. John Johnson led in singing, "Who Is On the Lord's Side?" Accompanied at the piano by Mr. Roy Rickman.

21. Rev. Cecil Frady read as a scripture passage Psalms 51:8-10 and led in prayer. He then extended a warm welcome to those attending this session of the associational meeting, from the Longview Church.

22. The Evangelism Report prepared by Rev. Jess Cunningham was received as information.

EVANGELISM REPORT

All Christians need to thank God for the renewed interest among youth in evangelism. This was evident during the Youth Evangelism Night this past February 2, when almost 20,000 youth and adults overflowed the Greensboro Coliseum and War Memorial Auditorium. 1,519 decisions were made by these youth. Also many youth in churches across our state are involved in witnessing for Christ in unique ways.

There is tremendous interest in North Carolina and the entire Southern Baptist Convention in the new Win materials on lay witnessing and the one week Lay Evangelism Schools. Over twenty-five associations have already started specific planning toward a one week Lay Evangelism School in their area. Jesus reminded all Christian laymen of our task in Luke 24:48 - "And ye are witnesses of these things." Thousands of laymen and youth will respond if they are properly challenged and trained.

The 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be held February 7-9, 1972 at the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium in Fayetteville.

The next Statewide Youth Evangelism Night will be on Friday evening August 18, 1972 at Greensboro Coliseum.

Remember to pray earnestly for the non-Christians in North Carolina and around the world that through our efforts together the Holy Spirit may lead many persons to commit their lives to Jesus Christ.

William C. Lamb, Director, Submitted to Association
Rev. Jess Cunningham

23. The Cooperative Program report prepared by Swann Elliott was received as information.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

The Cooperative Program is to the denomination, what the budget is to the local church. By sharing in the Cooperative Program each church has a part in support for all missionary causes at home and abroad. It is spreading the Gospel. It is healing in the name of Jesus for our hospitals and clinics. It is teaching and training Christian leaders for the great task of Kingdom endeavor.

As we from Sunday to Sunday worship with tithes and offerings, as as your church gives a worthy part of its income, we enter into partnership with God and fellow Christians, in the great Commission of Jesus, Go preach and teach.

We recommend that each church give a worthy percentage of each offering dollar through this means. If we do this God promises to bless the church and its people.

We have 48 churches in our association and 24 churches participated in the cooperative program in 1970 a total of $13,106.00.

Respectfully submitted, Swann Elliott

24. The Baptist Foundation Report prepared by Gordon Maddrey was received as information.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., was organized in 1920. It has a fifteen-menber Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention. The policies and procedures of the Foundation and the support of the same is in the hands of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. In other words, this is your Foundation, and you should know more about its services and activities.

During the past twelve months, the Foundation has had a gradual growth, in that several individuals and churches have made contracts with the Foundation to accomplish specific purposes such as: supporting an agency or institution of the Baptist State Convention, the Southern Baptist Convention, and world-wide objects. In one or two instances, individuals through their wills have added to existing memorials that were established during the life-time of the donor. The Foundation stands ready to render service to individuals and churches as their requests are made known. We wish to serve you.

Respectfully submitted, C. Gordon Maddrey, Ex. Sec.

25. The Moderator appointed the following to serve as the Nominating Committee for the coming year: Rev. C. C. Welch, Chairman; Rev. Ernie Sanders; Rev. Judson Hall; Mr. Arvel Parker and Mr. Bill Higdon.

26. Mr. Johnson led in singing, "Lead On, Oh King Eternal".

27. Mike Jamison, ministerial student at Garner Webb College, spoke to us about our North Carolina Baptist Colleges needing the financial support of the churches and christian individuals.

28. Rev. Luther Osmond, newly appointed Area Missionary for Western North Carolina, was introduced and asked to bring us a few words. He read as his scripture passage I Peter 4:10-11 and spoke on "Re-newed Emphasis In Our Churches". Emphasizing these three points: (1) Study God's Word; (2) Evangelism the works - go out; (3) Missions - reach out to a lost world.

29. The Baptist Homes For the Aging report was prepared by John Roper and received as information.

BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging Celebrated their 20th anniversary in March of this year. The story of our homes has been one of faith and blessings of God to older people. God has brought Baptist People from one Home in 1951, to five Homes and a nursing care unit, with accomodations for 160 resident and 76 patients.

The past year has been one of the best ever. The support for the homes from the churches has been most encouraging. The homes have not reached the point of operating in the black yet, but the time is soon approaching. With a deeper concern for our aging people, we Baptist people can make this come true.

Pray for our Baptist Homes for the aging and remember that any ministry to an older person in the name of Christ is a direct ministry to Christ.

Respectfully submitted, John Roper

30. The Baptist Hospital report prepared by Bruce Bryant was received as information, speaking to this report was Dr. W. K. McGee.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Your Baptist Hospital admitted 17,557 persons in 1970 for a total of 150,174 days of care. In addition, there were 51,563 visits to outpatient clinics, including 17,241 to the Emergency Room. About 90% of these were "referral" patients -- that is, patients who were referred to our Hospital by their local physicians because they needed the specialized medical care our Hospital is staffed and equipped to offer.

Our Hospital, from the day of its beginning, has provided good medical care for our people, including care for persons who cannot pay the cost. There has been great progress in medicine and tremendous increase in hospital costs, and these have made some policy changes necessary. The basis policy of providing care - now the highly specialized care for the more difficult cases -- for those who cannot pay has not changed. This Christian ministry is at the heart of the work of our Baptist Hospital.

Baptist Hospital offers a ministry of healing in Christ's name to all who need it. It seeks to fulfill the same purpose in North Carolina that a Baptist Hospital operated by our Foreign Mission Board seeks to fulfill in Korea or Nigeria. It ought to be supported by Missionary-minded Baptist with the same enthusiasm and for the same reason we support every other phase of our denomination's World Mission Program. This is missions too.

Respectfully submitted, Bruce Bryant

31. The Baptist Children's Home report prepared by Roy Rickman was received as information. Speaking to this report was Hugh Starnes, Director of Broyhill Children's Home.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOME REPORT

The child care and family service ministry of North Carolina Baptists in Western North Carolina has undergone many new and thrilling experiences during the past year. Since the associations last met, our program of services has been strengthened in various ways.

The desire for a home to serve Western North Carolina has become a reality. In early May, after years of careful planning, diligent work and generous giving by many friends of the Homes, the first two cottages for children on the Broyhill Home campus were opened. These were filled to capacity by the early part of the summer making provision for twenty-five additional children in group care.

In October of 1970 a new service was begun with the opening of a maternity home in Asheville. The girls who have been served in this program have responded well to the love, concern and care which has been provided them. This facility was made possible largely by our Baptist people and other friends in Asheville and Buncomb County.

The expansion of services and the improved quality of work being done requires additional financial support. Increased giving through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving Offering, special gifts by individuals, families, businesses and industries in necessary to provide quality services for those who turn to us for help.

Members of the Board of Trustees and members of the staff of the Baptist Children's Homes use this opportunity of expressing genuine appreciation for your confidence and support. At the same time, they are seeking diligently to maintain the best program of child care possible.

W. R. Wagner, President, Submitted to Assoc., Roy Rickman

32. The Minister's Retirement report (Annuity Board) was prepared by Rev. Cecil Frady and received as information.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

Out of forty-eight churches in Macon Baptist Association, we have three churches whose pastor comes under the retirement plan. This alone tells a big story in a few words.

Our churches ask of the pastor to work without some kind of retirement; when they themselves won't work without some form of retirement plan.

The churches need to help their pastor with this retirement plan that might have some benefits in old age. Will you not help your pastor as he helps you?

Rev Guy Cain will give us some pertinent information concerning this retirement for our pastors.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Cecil M. Frady

33. Mr. Johnson led in singing, "In The Old Time Way".

34. Rev. Earl Dendy moved the adoption of all the reports we had during the morning session. Motion adopted.

35. Time having come for Doctrinal Message, the moderator presented Rev. Ernie Sanders, who read II Corinthians 5:17 as the scripture passage. His sermon title was, "The Real Thing". His points were: (1) The beginning is in Jesus; (2) Manifested by act of service to God and mankind: (3) Results- a new life in Jesus in all of life.

36. Rev. Andy Cloer ask the benediction of the morning service and blessing for the noon day meal. Adjournment 11:15 a.m.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON - SEPTEMBER 10

Prelude by Mrs. Roy Rickman.

37. Mr. John Johnson led in singing the chorus of, "Fall Fresh On Me", followed by, "Break Thou The Bread of Life".

38. Rev. Earl Dendy, Vice-Moderator called the afternoon session to order.

39. Rev. Alton Dendy read the scripture passage Romans 5:1 and led in prayer.

40. The Ordination report prepared by Rev. C. C. Welch was received as information. Rev. Earl Dendy and Rev. Cecil Frady spoke to the reports of the Associational Committees.

REPORT OF ORDINATION

There were two ordained Ministers in Macon Association this year. Oak Dale Baptist Church ordained Johnny Raby and he is now Pastor of Briartown Baptist Church. Pleasant Hill Baptist Church ordained Daniel Mason and he has accepted a church in Georgia.

41. Rev. Cecil Frady moved that we accept the officers and committee chairmen, listed in the directory, for the Associational Year 1971-1972. Motion seconded and adopted.

42. Rev. Cecil Frady moved the adoption of Place and Preacher Committee report. Report adopted.

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The Night Session of the Annual Associational Meeting in 1972 will be held with Higdonville Baptist Church on September 7. The Day Session on September 8, with Burningtown Baptist Church. Rev. Jack King will deliver the Annual Sermon, Rev. Jim Crayton the Doctrinal Sermon and Rev. Alton Dendy the Inspirational Sermon.

43. The Christian Higher Education report prepared by Mrs. Charles L. Cabe was received as information.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

The Baptist Colleges in North Carolina enrolled 12,627 students this past year. They are grateful for the vital financial support which comes through the Cooperative Program. Outside of student charges, the Cooperative Program is the largest financial source of annual income for our colleges.

Throughout America, more colleges join the ranks of the financially distressed every day. Some schools have been forced to close and others are moving steadily toward the crisis stage. Fortunately none of our North Carolina Baptist Schools is in deep financial difficulty at this moment. However, these are the pressures under which our schools must live from year to year.

One way we, Macon Baptist Association, can help to relieve the financial burden of our schools is through the Baptist College Day offering. This is an investment in our youth.

Gardner-Webb College granted degrees to 278 persons on May 16, This was the first senior class to graduate since the former two-year college moved to senior status.

The Baptist Youth Corps is in its third summer of successful operation. This is a joint venture involving the Baptist Colleges, the Church Training Department, and the local churches. For a small investment of money a church can have the benefit of a summer worker from one of our colleges.

Together we seek to provide opportunities for students to seek Truth in an atmosphere of freedom, guided by persons who are committed to God as He is revealed in Jesus Christ. This ideal always exceeds our grasp. However, it is the ever present goal toward which we strive. The prayers and active support of North Carolina Baptists are necessary ingredients in helping the actual and the ideal to move more closely together.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Charles Lee Cabe

44. Rev. Cecil Frady spoke on FRUITLAND INSTITUTE regarding the main building being burned down and the great need for money to be raised to help build it back. He asked that christians go the extra mile in their giving to meet this need.

45. The Seminary Extension report prepared by Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd was received as information. Rev. Frady spoke to this report.

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

In 1970 Seminary Extension Course had twelve enrolled. Rev. Robert L. Clegg, Pastor First Baptist Church, Sylva, N. C. taught this course. The course was New Testament 262. We used the book Test of Life, author Robert Law. Also we studied First Epistle of John.

This course was held at Franklin Center of the First Baptist Church.

We only had half the enrollment that we had in 1969. We would love to see a great increase in 1971 Seminary Extension.

Respectfully submitted, Hyldah Shepherd

46. Rev. J. W. Myers gave us information regarding Truett Camp Mission field.

47. The Vacation Bible School report prepared by Mrs. Mary Powell was received as information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

At this time thirteen schools have been reported to the Associational Office. There are several churches, however, that we know have had schools but have failed to send in reports.

Of the thirteen schools reported there was a total enrollment of 653 with an average of 42. Most of the schools were held at night which gives a church a good opportunity to provide a class for adults. The highlights of some of the schools have been the adult groups.

Four of the reported schools were held by the summer workers.

There were 24 professions of faith in the thirteen schools reported.

We are pleased with the work done this year but realize that there was much undone in those schools held and many churches which did not have schools. It is our goal to improve the schools and reach other churches with schools.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Powell

48. The Church Training report prepared by Don Ledford was received as information. Mr. Ledford also spoke to this report.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

I feel that we are in great need of training our people. Being a true and dedicated Christian is one who studies and is taught. One that has been informed of the life of a Christian.

Only through the urging and training in our churches will we grow. Confessing we are sinners is only the first step. To become dedicated we must teach and be taught.

I feel we would eliminate the one day a week Christians and have totally committed men and women, boys and girls, if we would train them.

Pray for and support your Training Union Leaders.

"M" Night was held at Cartoogechaye Baptist Church with Gold Mine Baptist Church receiving the banner for most attendance for the second year.

Rev. Gerald Beardon from Ebenezer Baptist Church, Toccoa, Ga. was guest speaker. We had a wonderful attendance.

Please support Training Union in your church.

Respectfully submitted, Don Ledford

49. The Sunday School report prepared by Verlin Curtis was received as information.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

During the past year we had several Training Programs, conducted by State and local workers designed to help improve our Sunday School and select material best suited for individual church needs. These were most helpful. I feel the new literature is a great asset to our Sunday School.

During this 1971-72 year we want to strive to do more to improve our Sunday School which will enable to reach the unsaved and unchurched.

Every Christian has a call from God to witness. "Ye shall be witnesses unto me". (Acts 1:8) Let's all do it now. The need for witnessing is urgent.

Respectfully submitted, Verlin L. Curtis

50. Our Beloved Dead. Rev. J. W. Myers read the names of our beloved dead. Special recognition was given to Rev. G. A. Cloer by Rev. Myers and to Rev. Gene Southards by Rev. Alton Dendy. The congregation bowed their heads as Rev. C. C. Welch closed with an memorial prayer.

IN MEMORIAM

BETHEL HILL:
Mr. C. B. Owenby (Deacon)

BRIARTOWN:
Mr. Ed Day
Mr. Zeb Morgan

BURNINGTOWN:
Mrs. Hallie Duvall

CALVARY:
Mr. Berco Brown

CARTOOGECHAYE:
Rev. Gene Southard

COWEE:
Mr. Billy Gibson
Mr. Jack Calloway
Mr. Robert C. Rickman
Mrs. Lollie Brendle
Mr. William D. Bryson

GOLD MINE:
Miss Lola Dendy
Mrs. Effie Reed

FRANKLIN, FIRST:
Mr. I. T. Peek, (Deacon)
Mr. Bill Bryson
Mrs. Nobia Murray
Mr. Henry Wilkie

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HIGDONVILLE:
Mr. W. W. Berry
Mrs. Eva Corbin

HIGHLANDS, FIRST:
Mr. Kurt Shuler

HOLLY SPRINGS:
Mr. Carl Guest

IOTLA:
Mrs. Norman Woody
Mr. Gene L. Jacobs
Mrs. Minnie Fouts

LIBERTY:
Mr. Frank Hurst
Mr. Paul Shuler
Mr. Ben Giles
Miss Melvina Patterson
Mrs. Rowena Jones

LONGVIEW:
Mr. P. M. Gregory

MOUNT HOPE:
Mr. Carl Angel

NEWMAN'S CHAPEL:
Mrs. Magrette Carpenter

OAK DALE:
Mrs. Annie Wilkies

OAK GROVE:
Mrs. W. R. Bradley
Mrs. Laura Clark

PINE GROVE:
Mrs. Laura Gregory

PRENTISS:
Mrs. Jim Stiles
Mr. Monroe Ledford
Mrs. Ollie Anderson

RIDGECREST:
Mr. D. L. Dean
Mrs. Larua Raby
Mr. Aden Tallent
Mr. Tom Thompson
Mr. Gordon Smith

SUGAR FORK:
Mrs. Cora McDowell

WATAUGA:
Rev. G. A. Cloer
Mrs. Lelia McCloud
Mr. Ralph Scott
Mr. Roy Rankins

WELLS GROVE:
Mrs. Evelyn Wells

WEST FRANKLIN:
Miss Mollie Collins
Mr. Wayne McConnell

WINDY GAP:
Mr. Sam Hopkins
Mr. Jack Roper

51. Mrs. Jeter Higdon presented the report of the Resolutions Committee.

IN APPRECIATION

We, the messengers and visitors of the sixty-eighth annual meeting of the Macon Baptist Association thank the Cowee and Longview Churches for their heart-warming welcome and friendship under the guidance of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Myers and Rev. and Mrs. Wylie Gibson. Our thanks also to the Longview Church for the bountiful noon meal. It has been a joyful experience to be with you in fellowship and spiritual feasting on the inspirational sermons and messages from the reports.

We appreciate the endeavors of those who have carefully and prayerfully planned and executed the program. We are grateful to our Heavenly Father for we have felt His presence keenly during these services. And we must not forget the dedicated efficient leadership of our Associational Staff: the Moderator, Dr. W. Thomas Lane; Vice-Moderator, Rev. Earl Dendy; Clerk, Mrs. Ruth B. Hess; Treasurer, Mrs. Betty Penland; Field Worker, Rev. Cecil Frady, and Historian, Miss Mae McCoy. These have generously shared their time and abilities to make this a good year in the Lord's work. Our State workers are due much consideration for their messages of information and inspiration.

Surely the presence of the Lord has been keenly felt during these sessions and we have come to see more clearly His mission for our individual lives. We are grateful to Him for this privilege which has been afforded us. We ask His blessing upon each of us as we journey homeward and pledge ourselves to be good stewards of all that we have felt, seen and heard.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Lucy Pickens

52. The Historical report prepared by Mae McCoy was accepted as information.

HISTORICAL REPORT

As this Macon Baptist Associational year has come and gone and the pages of its years history are closing we can look back and see many good things Macon Baptists have done and many things perhaps, we regret were left undone. However, according to all reports this has been a joyous and meaningful year as churches, pastors, and laymen labored together to advance the kingdom of God in our association and around the world.

In April 1969, soon after Rev. Howard Willis resigned as full-time Associational Field Worker for Macon Baptist Association, the Missions Committee and the Executive Promotions Committee were able to secure the services of Rev. J. W. Myers, Pastor of Cowee Baptist Church, as Associate Field Worker till the Missions Committee could find someone to serve full time as Field Worker. Rev. Myers served faithfully and efficiently till in November, 1970. At this time Rev. Cecil Frady, who was pastor of Holly Springs Church, agreed to take over the work till he could be freed from his duties as pastor, soon Holly Springs called Rev. Judson Hall as their pastor giving Rev. Frady free to serve as full-time Field Worker for our Association. Now we are blessed by his services. Through his leadership Macon Baptist can go forward for the Lord.

The work on the Macon Baptist Building which will be a home for our Field Worker and his family; also house associational supplies and room for worker's office, is moving along well at this time.

The 18 or more churches that have so faithfully supported our building project will indeed rejoice when they see it finished for God has truly blessed the efforts in this great work. Such projects as this one is brought to fruition only by much prayer, planning and financial aid.

We welcome the following new ministers to Macon Baptist Association: Rev. Jack King from Waynesville, N. C. has come to serve as pastor of Cartoogechaye Church; Rev. William Rice, from Hendersonville, N. C., has come to serve as pastor of Calvary and Prentis Churches; Rev. Dan Stiles has come to serve West Franklin Baptist Church and Rev. Judson Hall has accepted Holly Springs Church. We are thankful to God for laying upon their hearts to take the work of these churches and grateful that they responded to His call.

An evangelistic Spirit seems to be growing among Macon Baptists. A number of youth revivals were held over the county this past year. Most of them were well attended by youth and adults. The young people of Longview Church conducted a revival December 28 - January 2. A good one was reported in spite of the bad weather.

Rev. Cecil Frady has organized a youth group called "Macon Baptist Youth Crusaders". This group had full charge of the morning worship services at Franklin First on July 18, 1971. A very worshipful program was rendered. Jimmy Guffey who was licensed to the gospel ministry of the Longview Church more than a year ago, delivered the eleven o'clock message, a wonderful evangelistic message. Jimmy is a student at Wake Forest College.

These young people are devout in their lives and are bearing a glorious testimony to the Lord. May they build a tremendous soul-saving witness for

Christ and lead many youth's to a transforming experience with the Lord.

The following church held revivals last year: Oak Grove, Cowee, Liberty, Pine Grove, Watauga, Black Mt., Ridgecrest, and Longview.

A County-wide youth revivals is now in progress at the Macon County Fair Ground. We pray for great results.

An Activity Bus for Baptist Churches to use is being purchased by contributions from individuals and businesses in Franklin. Soon it will be ready for use.

Missionaries speak in Macon County.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Burney, home a few months on furlough from Nigeria spoke to a large group at the Longview Baptist Church last October. Mrs. Burney's parents live at Raburn Gap Georgia where she finished High School. Dr. Burney and family have returned to Nigeria to resume their mission work.

An Associational-wide Prayer Retreat was held at Wayah Valley Inn on May 7-8. Miss Bertha Smith of South Carolina was in full charge of the services. She is one of our retired "unretired" Missionaries. She served in China 31 years as principal of Mission Schools and doing Evangelistic work from village to village. Also from church to church Bible Teaching. Miss Smith travels to many parts of the U. S. A. and to Foreign Countries to conduct Prayer Retreats, such as she conducted in Macon. Many who attended felt they had truly been blessed by her coming.

Other good news comes to us that Rev. Cecil Frady's son Randy, a student at Gardner Webb College, has surrendered to the call as a Foreign Missionary. Let us pray that God will call others to this great work.

Last year there were seven churches in Macon Association without pastors. Now there are only three. Oak Grove, Mount Hope, and Buck Creek. Rev. Howard Willis resigned at Oak Grove recently.

Some church building improvements are as follows: Cowee Church has finished the Pastor's Study and installed book cases and shelves. Rev. J. W. Myers is Pastor. White Oak Flats, built and installed new rest rooms. Rev. Carl Roper is Pastor. Iotla, some paneling work has been done and they have enclosed their piano. Rev. M. I. Brock, Pastor. Wells Grove is building a new sanctuary, adding on to the new Educational Building. Rev. Jud Duvall is pastor. Holly Springs has pushed out the ground for a new parsonage and are now engaged in this building program. Rev. Judson Hall is pastor. Shortoff Church are building new Sunday School rooms and rest rooms are being added. The floors have been refinished and carpet put down, Rev. Mack Reed is pastor.

Space will not permit me to tell all the good things that Macon Baptists have done this year, but the preceding statements are the "High Lights" of our years work. As Baptist we have a definite mission to perform and wide open doors are before us today. Will we accept the challenge?

May God's richest blessings be upon this great organization and may we all work together as never before so that we may be able to say at the end of next year that it was the greatest in the history of Macon Baptist.

Respectfully submitted, Miss Mae McCoy - Historian

53. Miss Mae McCoy moved that the reports given during the afternoon session be received as information and adopted. Motion seconded and adopted.

54. Rev. Earl Dendy led in singing, "Amazing Grace".

55. The closing Inspirational message was brought by Rev. Jess Cunningham. His title, "Dangers For the Days We Live In". He read as a scripture Matthew 5:13-26. Danger points: (1) Lowering christian standards; (2) Becoming luke-warm and self-satisfied; (3) Compromising; (4) God giving us up.

56. Installation of officers was led by Rev. C. C. Welch. Followed with everybody singing, "Where Ever He Leads I'll Go".

57. Rev. Earl Dendy led in the Prayer of Dedication and benediction.

58. The Macon Baptist Association adjourned it's final session of the Sixty-Eighth Annual Meeting of the body at 2:45 p.m.

Dr. W. Thomas Lane, Moderator, Mrs. Ruth B. Hess, Clerk

Statistical Tables

Table A CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Year Ending June 30 1971
(Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Clerk Mrs. Ruth B. Hess

Address Rt. 7, Box 796, Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (include Zip Code)	1 County	1 Year organized as a church	2 Location	2 Services held twice on Sun.? Y	2 N	3 If no, services held on: 1st Sunday M	1st Sunday E	2nd Sunday M	2nd Sunday E	3rd Sunday M	3rd Sunday E	4th Sunday M	4th Sunday E	5th Sunday M	5th Sunday E	4 Total Baptisms	5 Other additions (by letter, statement)	6 Members lost (by letter, statement)	7 Present resident members	8 Present non-resident members	9 Grand total present members	10 No. members received from non-Baptist denom.	11 No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	16 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	17 Value of Church property incl. pastor's home	18 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Bethel Hill	Clint Grant, Star Rt., Topton 28781	Macon	1954	1		x			x				x				3	5	3	61	19	80	0	0	$ 0	$ 6,000	$ 0
Black Mountain	Claude Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1940	1		x			x				x				10	0	0	35	54	89	0	0	0	12,000	0
Briartown	S. J. Waters, Star Rt., Topton 28781	"	1863	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		8	5	8	81	151	232	0	0	0	10,000	0
Buck Creek	Non-reporting																										
Burningtown	C. C. Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	"	1839	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		4	2	8	123	57	180	0	0	0	30,000	0
Calvary	William Rice, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	"	1944	1		x		x	x			x	x		x		5	8	2	54	14	68	2	0	0	6,000	0
Cartoogechaye	Jack King, Waynesville 28786	"	1835	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		3	7	2	112	120	232	0	0	0	40,000	0
Clear Creek	Otis Gragg, Mountain City, Ga.	"	1879	1		x	x				x						1	0	1	64	44	108	0	0	0	25,000	0
Cowee	J. W. Myers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	"	1828	1	x												9	3	6	262	89	351	0	0	8,500	119,988	23,805
Coweeta	W. A. Cloer, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1831	1		x	x		x		x		x				5	0	0	124	54	178	0	0	0	20,000	0
Ellijay	Non-reporting																										
Fairview	Howard Roberts, Andrews	"	1909	1		x	x	x	x		x		x	x	x		3	9	1	42	107	149	0	0	0	6,000	0
Flats	Non-reporting																										
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1961	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		0	0	1	56	0	56	0	0	0	10,000	3,080
Franklin, First	W. Thomas Lane, White Oak St., Franklin	"	1822	4	x												6	22	18	565	231	796	0	5	14,500	451,000	88,000
Franklin, West	Dan Stiles, White Oak St., Franklin	"	1961	4	x												2	3	14	110	6	116	1	1	0	40,000	0
Gold Mine	W. K. Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1861	1		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			3	2	5	77	53	125	0	0			
Higdonville	Gene Hawkins, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	"	1950	1		x	x		x								3	0	3	77	23	100	0	0	0	10,000	0
Highlands, First	Harvey Stewart, Box 625, Highlands	"	1896	3	x												18	6	5	337	159	496	2	0	15,000	150,000	0
Holly Springs	Judson Hall, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	"	1914	1	x												0	6	11	123	59	182	0	0	14,000	85,000	99,000
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued																										
Iotla	M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1903	1	x												5	3	6	330	112	442	2	0	35,000	100,000	4,300
Kettle Rock	Inactive																										
Liberty	Clyde Collins, Rt. 1, Sylva 28779	"	1874	1	x												0	6	9	193	130	323	0	3	0	20,000	0
Longview	James W. Gibson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1942	1	x												5	8	6	130	65	195	0	0	0	50,000	0
Mount Hope	None	"	1886	1	x												11	4	12	157	112	269	0	0	18,000	40,000	0
Mountain Grove	Judson Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1906	1		x			x								0	0	1	16	15	31	0	0	0	2,000	0
Nantahala No. 2	Ralph Pastell, Andrews 28701		1942	1		x	x				x						1	3	0	36	22	58	0	0			
Newman's Chpl.	Earl Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"	1920	1	x												3	3	5	153	13	166	0	0	0	25,000	0
Oak Dale	Howard Willis, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1		x	x		x		x		x				1	0	4	58	59	117	0	0			
Oak Grove	Ernie Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1	x												1	2	2	201	78	279	0	0	0	14,500	0
Pine Grove	Alton Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"		1		x	x			x	x			x			2	4	3	67	139	206	0	0	0	20,000	0
Pleasant Hill	Wallace Tallent, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1		x	x				x						6	7	0	174	144	318	0	0	0	15,000	0
Prentiss	William Rice, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	"	1914	1		x	x			x	x			x			0	0	5	74	60	134	0	0	0	12,500	0
Ridgecrest	Guy Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1925	1	x												0	0	6	139	105	244	0	0	0	35,000	1,048
Rose Creek	Fred R. Cook, Franklin 28734	"	1940	1		x	x	x			x	x					1	0				65	0	0			
Shortoff	Mack Reed, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga.	"	1935	1		x			x				x				0	0	0	70	68	138	0	0	0	25,000	0
Sugar Fork	James Crayton, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	"	1836	1	x												8	2	5	148	60	208	0	0	0	16,000	0
Tellico	Windell Crisp, Bryson City 28713	"	1884	1		x			x				x				0	0	0	75	104	179	0	0	0	5,000	0
Tesenta	Non-reporting																										
Union Hill	Clint Grant, Star Rt., Topton 28781	"	1892	1		x	x				x						5	1	2	47	66	113	0	0		6,000	331
Walnut Creek	W. K. Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1971	1		x		x	x		x		x				0	0	0	26	32	58	0	0	0		0
Watauga	J. S. Cunningham, Rt. 7, Franklin	"	1886	1		x	x			x	x			x			0	2	9	123	121	254	0	0	0	38,000	0
Wells Grove	Jud Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1927	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		0	5	3	134	37	171	0	0	0	0	0
West Union	Judson Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1962	1		x	x				x						3	0	2			33					
White Oak Flats	Carl Roper, Topton 28781	"	1901	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		41		11	170	105	275	0	0			
Windy Gap	Grady Norman, Sylva 28779	"	1949	1	x												9	0	5	98	44	142	0	0	0	25,000	0
Mashburn Branch	Alton Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"	1952	1		x		x	x			x	x				21	7	3	95	6	101	0	0			
	TOTALS																206	135	187	5,012	2,937	8,067	7	9	$105,000	$1469,988	$219,564

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Association MACON Year Ending June 30 1971
(Month & Day)

State NORTH CAROLINA
Associational Sunday School
Director Mr. Verlin Curtis
Address
Baird Cove Road, Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	44 Preschool enrol. (5 yrs. and under not in school	45 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	46 Juniors (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	47 Young Adult enrol. (18-25 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 yrs)	48 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement	49 Senior Adult enrol. (60 and over or retirement & over)	50 Adults Away enrolment	51 Homebound Units enrolment	52 General officers enrolment	53 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	54 Total ongoing enrolment	55 Average weekly S.S. attendance	56 Number of Fellowship Bible Classes	56 Fellowship Bible class enrolment	57 Kindergarten and day care enrol.	58 Bible conference projects enrol.	59 Weekday Bible study enrolment	60 Church V.B.S. enrolment	60 Mission V.B.S. enrolment	60 Total V.B.S. enrolment
Bethel Hill	James E. Morgan, Star Rt., Topton 28781	8	12	18	10	28	4	0	0	0	0	80	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	Jack Hodgins, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	10	10	20	20	29	0	0	0	0	0	89	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briartown	W. W. Cochran, Star Rt., Topton 28781	5	6	15	9	25	10	0	0	7	0	77	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	Non-reporting																				
Burningtown	Bob Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	7	10	14	12	25	10	0	0	8	0	86	60	0	0	0	0	0	31	0	31
Calvary	Jerry Brown, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	5	6	10	7	16	2	0	0	0	0	46	35	0	0	0	0	15	45	0	45
Cartoogechaye	Claude Rogers, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	7	10	6	28	34	0	0	0	0	0	85	83								
Clear Creek	E. J. Chastain, Highlands 28741	2	6	10	0	8	10	0	0	0	0	36		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	Ralph Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 63-C, Franklin 28734	17	28	37	7	64	48	0	0	3	0	204	122	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	67
Coweeta	Jack Stamey, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	7	6	6	13	23	5	0	0	3	0	63	52	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	27
Ellijay	Non-reporting																				
Fairview	Cormad Kilpatrick, Star Rt., Topton 28781	1	0	5	3	26	0	0	0	7	0	42		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Flats	Inactive																				
Franklin, East	Mrs. Roy J. Collier, 98 White Oak, Franklin 28734	0	5	5	11	6	5	0	0	2	0	34	18						38	0	38
Franklin, First	J. C. Jacobs, Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734	21	59	65	90	62	80	0	0	5	0	382	223	1	42	0	0	0	95	0	95
Franklin, West	Fred Farmer, 137 Palmer Dr., Franklin 28734	13	7	5	15	7	13	0	0	3	0	63	41	0	0	0	0	0	40		40
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Box 755, Franklin 28734	6	9	11	18	13	15	0	0	0	0	72	58						39	0	39
Higdonville	Bill C. Higdon, Rt. 5, Box 700, Franklin 28734	9	5	8	8	14	33	0	0	0	0	77	44	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	30
Highlands, First	Glenn A. Shuler, Highlands 28741	19	39	39	20	43	0	0	0	4	0	164	85						86	0	86
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48-A Lakeside Dr., Franklin 28734	15	12	12	7	20	22	0	0	3	0	91							41		41
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued																				
Iotla	Bill Houston, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	4	21	36	29	23	20	0	0	0	0	133	95	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	50
Kettle Rock	Inactive																				
Liberty	Dennis Freeman, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	16	12	17	19	38	14	0	4	4	0	124	86	0	0	0	0	30	84	0	84
Longview	Henry Cabe, Franklin 28734	10	20	20	35	30	10	0	0	10	0	135	80	0	0	0	0	0	70	0	70
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	9	5	10	14	14	26	0	0	0	0	78		0	0	0	0	0	56	0	56
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10	16	12	13	35	8	0	0	12	0	106									
Mountain Grove	Frank Dills, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	1	2	0	6	10	0	0	4	0	23	18								
Nantahala No. 2	Royal Rowland, Topton 28781	5	6	17	18	0	10	0	0	0	0	56									
Newman's Chapel	Charles Long, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	20	14	18	25	40	0	0	0	2	0	119	50						70		70
Oak Dale	Ezell Bryant, Rt. 3, Box 802, Franklin 28734	5	0	7	0	29	0	0	0	0	0	41	25								
Oak Grove	Eddie Guy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	10	5	9	13	28	20	0	0	0	0	85	65								
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Box 526, Franklin 28734	3	8	6	16	20	14	0	0	2	0	69	44	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Wade McConnell, Jr., Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	10	10	20	40	0	0	0	0	0	85	75								
Prentiss	Harry Brabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	3	6	14	0	20	11	0	0	4	0	58	35						24	0	24
Ridgecrest	Charles Pickens, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	12	6	5	12	26	9	0	0	10	0	80	55	0	0	0	0	12	45	0	45
Rose Creek	Bulon McCall, Franklin 28734	5	8	15	5	6	5					44									
Shortoff	Gordon Talley, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	5	7	7	1	13	8	0	0	0	0	41	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sugar Fork	Alex Deal, Rt. 7, Frankland 28734	26	17	13	31	45	12	0	0	0	0	144	87						45	0	45
Tellico	Henry Pasey, Rt. 3, Box 465, Franklin 28734											41									
Tesenta	Non-reporting																				
Union Hill	Arnold Passmore, Star Rt., Topton 28781	2	5	12	0	16	0	0	0	13	0	48	46								
Walnut Creek	Everette Mashburn, Rt. 5, Box 456, Franklin	2	2	9	11	0	0	0	0	4	0	28	24					18	21		21
Watauga	Andy Berry, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	12	10	12	20	25	10	0	0	9	0	98	65						50		50
Wells Grove	Cliff Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	12	16	14	12	18	23	0	0	2	0	97	71								
West Union		5	9	15	5	14	5	1	0	0	0	54	25								
White Oak Flats	David Solesbee, Topton 28781																				
Windy Gap	Edgar Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	10	9	21	15	29	7	0	0	5	0	96									
	TOTALS	343	443	587	592	958	479	1	4	126	0	3,574	1,940	1	42	0	0	85	1,054	0	1,054

TABLE C TRAINING UNION Year Ending June 30 1971 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Training Union Director Mr. John Rogers

Address Rt. 1, Highlands, North Carolina 28741

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	61 Preschool enrol. (5 years & under - not in school)	62 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	63 Youth enrolment (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	64 Young Adult enrol. (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 yrs.	65 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	66 Senior Adult enrol. (60 and over or retirement & over)	67 General officers enrolment	68 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	69 Total ongoing enrolment	70 Average weekly T.U. attendance	71 New Member Orientation Registration	71 New Member Orientation Completed	72 Church Leader Training Registration	72 Church Leader Training Completed	73 Member Training Projects Registration	73 Member Training Projects Completed
Bethel Hill																	
Black Mountain																	
Briartown																	
Buck Creek	Non-reporting																
Burningtown	Clara Jo Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	4	4	8	0	12	0	1	0	29	20						
Calvary																	
Cartoogechaye	Jack Randall, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	4	6	7	0	21	0	0	0	38	31						
Clear Creek																	
Cowee	Gardner Holden, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	7	20	26	17	14	0	2	0	86	46	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coweeta	Larry Shope, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	7	6	4	6	11	0	0	0	34	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliiay	Non-reporting																
Fairview																	
Flats	Inactive																
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Box 55, Franklin 28734	0	1	1	3	10	0	0	0	15							
Franklin, First																	
Franklin, West																	
Gold Mine	Larry Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	3	3	7	13	4	5	0	0	35	28						
Higdonville	Victor Teague, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	5	3	5	18	0	0	0	0	31	18						
Highlands, First																	
Holly Springs	Woodrow Franklin, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	4	5	4	4	9	4	5	0	35							
Horse Cove	Temporarily discontinued																
Iotla	George Evans, Rt. 3, Franklin 28374	0	0	8	0	29	0	0	0	37	17						
Kettle Rock	Inactive																
Liberty	Vaughn Shepherd, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	3	4	12	7	24	7	4	0	61	38						
Longview	Frank Cabe, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	3	6	8	10	6	0	3	0	36	25						
Mashburn Branch	Terry R. Jenkins, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	3	5	11	9	10	0	0	0	38							
Mount Hope	Richard Burnette, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	1	7	6	9	11	3	6	0	43							
Mountain Grove																	
Nantahala No. 2																	
Newman's Chapel	Weaver Fox, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	9	5	3	14	3	0	2	0	36	25						
Oak Dale																	
Oak Grove	Mrs. Sue Tabor, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734				14	18				32							
Pine Grove																	
Pleasant Hill																	
Prentiss																	
Ridgecrest	J. P. Shuford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	12	7	9	11	12	4	7	0	62	28	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rose Creek																	
Shortoff																	
Sugar Fork																	
Tellico																	
Tesenta	Non-reporting																
Union Hill																	
Walnut Creek																	
Watauga	Mrs. Peggy Elders, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	6	6	7	10	3	4	0	36	20						
Wells Grove	Mrs. Louise Roper, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734									35	30						
West Union																	
White Oak Flats																	
Windy Gap																	
TOTALS		65	88	125	142	204	26	34	0	719	346						

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC

Year Ending June 30 (Month & Day) 1971

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director Mr. John Johnson

Address Hemlock Drive, Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	75 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under not in school)	76 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	77 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	78 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	79 General officers enrolment	80 Enrolment of mission(s) of Church	81 Total church music enrolment	82 Average weekly church music enrolment	83 Handbell ringers enrolment	84 Vocal ensemble enrolment	85 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	Church music study group enrolment
Bethel Hill	Austin Jacobs, Star Rt., Topton 28781												
Black Mountain	Carl D. Morgan, Rt. 2, Box 294, Franklin 28734												
Briartown	Carl Cross, Star Rt., Topton 28781												
Buck Creek	Non-reporting												
Burningtown	Lucille Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734												
Calvary													
Cartoogechaye	Steve Reeves, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734												
Clear Creek	Mrs. Frank McCall, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741												
Cowee	John D. Johnson, Hemlock Dr., Franklin 28734	0	12	15	19	8	0	54	0	0	0	0	0
Coweeta	Mrs. Nora Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	6	3	14	0	0	23	23	0	0	0	0
Ellijay	Non-reporting												
Fairview	Beulah Wilson, Topton 28781												
Flats	Inactive												
Franklin, East													
Franklin, First	Orville Wike, Cullowhee 28723	0	10	15	30	2	0	57	30	0	0	0	0
Franklin, West													
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Box 775, Franklin 28734	2	4	6	7	1	0	20	15				
Higdonville	Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Box 709, Franklin 28734												
Highlands, First	Mrs. Sammie Houston, P.O. Box 164, Highlands 28741				16			16					
Holly Springs	Mrs. Earl Justice, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	6	10	5	24	0	0	45	20				
Horse Cove	Temporarily discontinued												
Iotla	Mrs. John Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 881, Franklin 28734	0	7	14	17	0	0	38	15				
Kettle Rock	Inactive												
Liberty	Mrs Roy Jones, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0
Longview	Zeb Hall, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734												
Mashburn Branch	Miss Dale Barrett, Rt. 6, Box 1033, Franklin 28734												
Mount Hope	Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734												
Mountain Grove	Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734												
Nantahala No. 2													
Newman's Chapel													
Oak Dale	Mrs. Ruth Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734												
Oak Grove	Carol Tabor, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734												
Pine Grove	Andrew Gregory, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734												
Pleasant Hill													
Prentiss	Teresa Brendle, Rt. 2, Box 774, Franklin 28734												
Ridgecrest	John Smith, 157 Wilkie St., Franklin 28734	0	3	4	7	2	0	16	14				
Rose Creek													
Shortoff	Vic Wood, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741												
Sugar Fork													
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734												
Tesenta	Non-reporting												
Union Hill	Oscar Passmore, Star Route, Topton 28781												
Walnut Creek													
Watauga	Mrs. Troy Ledford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	6	4	12	2	0	24	18				
Wells Grove	Jay Jennings, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	3	6	8	10	0	0	27	16				
West Union													
White Oak Flats	Dwight Waters, Topton 28781												
Windy Gap	Blance Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	1	10	14	25	3	0	53					
	TOTALS	12	74	88	201	18	0	393	151	0	0	0	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Year Ending June 30 (Month & Day) 1971

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Minnie Berry

Address Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	86A Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school) No. org.	86B Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school) Enrol.	87A Girls in Action (6-11 yrs. or grades 1-6) No. org.	87B Girls in Action (6-11 yrs. or grades 1-6) Enrol.	88A Acteens (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12) No. org.	88B Acteens (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12) Enrol.	89A Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 years) No. org.	89B Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 years) Enrol.	90A Baptist Women (30 & over) No. org.	90B Baptist Women (30 & over) Enrol.	91 WMU officers enrolment	92A Mission(s) of church No. org.	92B Mission(s) of church Enrol.	93A Total WMU No. org.	93B Total WMU Enrol.
Bethel Hill																
Black Mountain																
Briartown																
Buck Creek	Non-reporting															
Burningtown																
Calvary																
Cartoogechaye																
Clear Creek																
Cowee	Mrs. Roy Rickman, 92 Golfview Dr., Franklin 28734	0	0	1	8	1	10	0	0	1	30	6	0	0	3	48
Coweeta	Mrs. Gene Bateman, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	1	5	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	9	3			3	22
Ellijay	Non-reporting															
Fairview																
Flats	Inactive															
Franklin, East																
Franklin, First	Mrs. Arvel Parker, Hurst Circle, Franklin 28734	2	20	2	20	2	18	1	11	3	49	8	0	0	10	126
Franklin, West	Mrs. Louis Cochran, Curtis St., Franklin 28734	1	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	7	3	0	0	3	16
Gold Mine																
Higdonville																
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Penland, Highlands 28741	0	0	1	29	1	8	0	0	1	35	9	0	0	3	81
Holly Springs	Mrs. Earl Justice, Rt. 7, Box 435, Franklin 28734	1	6	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	9		0	0	3	19
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued															
Iotla	Mrs. M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Box 247, Franklin 28734	2	11	1	9	1	8	1	9	1	17	7	0	0	6	61
Kettle Rock	Inactive															
Liberty																
Longview	Mrs. Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734															
Mashburn Branch																
Mount Hope	Mrs. Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734									1	27				1	27
Mountain Grove																
Nantahala No. 2																
Newman's Chapel																
Oak Dale																
Oak Grove																
Pine Grove																
Pleasant Hill																
Prentiss																
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Jeter Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	1	5	1	4	1	1	0	0	1	12	6	0	0	4	28
Rose Creek																
Shortoff																
Sugar Fork																
Tellico																
Tesenta	Non-reporting															
Union Hill																
Walnut Creek																
Watauga																
Wells Grove																
West Union																
White Oak Flats																
Windy Gap																
TOTALS		0	51	9	84	6	45	2	20	11	195	42	0	0	36	428

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

Year Ending June 30 1971 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Brotherhood Director Mr. Gene Collett

Address Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	94 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	95 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	96 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	97 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	98 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	99 General officers enrolment	100 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	101 Total Brotherhood enrolment
Bethel Hill Black Mountain Briartown Buck Creek Burningtown Calvary	Non-reporting								
Cartoogechaye Clear Creek Cowee Coweeta Ellijay Fairview	Charles Cabe, 324 Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734 Non-reporting	8	5	0	18	0	3	0	34
Flats Franklin, East Franklin, First Franklin, West Gold Mine Higdonville	Inactive Harold Moore, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734 Swann Elliott, 110 Palmer Dr., Franklin 28734								
Highlands, First Holly Springs Horse Cove Iotla Kettle Rock	Temporarily Discontinued Inactive								
Liberty Longview Mashburn Branch Mount Hope Mountain Grove									
Nantahala No. 2 Newman's Chapel Oak Dale Oak Grove Pine Grove									
Pleasant Hill Prentiss Ridgecrest Rose Creek Shortoff	J. B. Snyder, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	7	0	8	0	1	0	16
Sugar Fork Tellico Tesenta Union Hill Walnut Creek	Non-reporting								
Watauga Wells Grove West Union White Oak Flats Windy Gap									
- 33 -	TOTALS	8	12	0	26	0	4	0	50

Table G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP Year Ending June 30 (Month & Day) 1971

Association MACON State N. CAROLINA

Associational Treasurer Mrs. Betty Penland

Address Iotla St., Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	12 Number of tithers	13 Budget prom. or emphasis used during year: None	Forward Program	Other	14 Coop. Prog. goal as % of Total Budget	15 Assoc. missions goal % total budget	102 Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	103 All other receipts	104 Total receipts	105 Money borrowed during the year	106 Church staff salaries	107 Money paid out on new construction during the year	108 Debt retirement during the year	109 All other local expenditures	110 Total local expenditures
Bethel Hill	Mrs. Charlene Grant, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	x			%	%	$ 1,449	$ 0	$ 1,449	$ 9	$ 471	$ 675	$ 0	$ 382	$ 1,528
Black Mountain	Dover Shope, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	6	x					1,604	0	1,604	0	533	0	0	200	733
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt., Box 293, Topton 28781	0						3,480	0	3,480	0	1,064	1,014	0	824	2,902
Buck Creek	Non-reporting															
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	25				10	1	6,035	0	6,035	0	2,150	0	0	4,908	7,058
Calvary	Mrs. Freda Norton, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	5	x			2	1.5	2,851	0	2,851	0	1,060	800	0	605	2,465
Cartoogechaye	Mrs. J. D. Dayton, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734		x					9,314	0	9,314	0	4,671	550	0	1,335	6,556
Clear Creek	Griffin Hicks, Highlands 28741	4						243	0	243	0	671	1,236	0	405	2,312
Cowee		65				5	3	24,292	300	24,592	0	5,200	783	7,921	5,348	19,252
Coweeta	Mrs. Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Otto 28763	13				2	2	3,798	0	3,798	0	1,220	1,200	0	750	3,170
Elliiay	Non-reporting															
Fairview	Mrs. Vada Grant, Star Rt., Topton 28781							0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Flats	Inactive															
Franklin, East	Mrs. Maver Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3						3,506	0	3,506	0	1,300	0	750	1,455	3,505
Franklin, First	Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734	80			x	20	2.5	70,000	600	70,600	0	21,000	7,000	21,000	20,000	69,000
Franklin, West	Frs. Fred Framer, 137 Palmer Dr., Franklin 28734	2	x			3.5	1½	5,500	0	5,500	0	3,530	0	750	850	5,130
Gold Mine	Mrs. Gerstle Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741		x					4,290	0	4,290	0	1,032	162	0	945	2,139
Higdonville	Grayson Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734							0	0	0	0	990	0	0	1,372	2,362
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Crisp, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741		x			8	4	20,944	0	20,944	0	7,316	0	3,645	5,770	16,731
Holly Springs	Paul Ammons, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734							8,458	0	8,458	0	3,808	306	0	1,927	6,041
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued															
Iotla	Melvin Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	30				10		17,482	0	17,482	0	5,460	0	4,502	5,200	15,162
Kettle Rock	Inactive															
Liberty	Miss Cicile Gibson, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	7	x					8,156	0	8,156	0	4,657	1,417	0	1,050	7,124
Longview	Mrs. Ed Ramey, Rt. 2, Box 370, Franklin 28734	0						10,044	0	10,044	0	5,840	0	0	2,076	7,916
Mashburn Branch	V. L. Holland, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734							3,599	0	3,599	0	1,341	0	0	1,389	2,730
Mount Hope	Mrs. W. N. Dalrymple, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734					10		10,444	0	10,444	0	4,911	0	0	2,569	7,480
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x					0	0	0	0	482	0	0	41	523
Nantahala No. 2	Mrs. Willa Mae Jacobs, Aquone 28703							501	0	501	0	0	0	0	154	154
Newman's Chapel	C. S. Sams, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	21						5,570	0	5,570	0	3,717	0	0	1,920	5,637
Oak Dale	George H. Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734							1,709	0	1,709	0	496	1,110	0	440	2,019
Oak Grove	Mrs. Willard Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	15				10		5,052	0	5,052	0	4,496	0	0	0	4,496
Pine Grove	Briscoe Dills, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	3,666	0	3,666	0	1,644	0	0	1,027	2,671
Pleasant Hill	Miss Kathy Moffitt, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734					0	0	4,000	0	4,000	0	2,050	4,500	4,500	140	11,190
Prentiss	Evelyn R. Brendle, Rt. 2, Box 774, Franklin 28734	6						1,456	0	1,456	0	783	0	0	300	1,083
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	15	x					7,786	0	7,786	1,381	3,640	2,263	1,406	1,968	9,277
Rose Creek	Bulon McCall, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734							1,065	0	1,065	0	585	0	0	204	789
Shortoff	Harris Elmore, Rt. 1, Highlands, 28741	0	x					3,492	0	3,492	0	740	629	0	676	2,045
Sugar Fork	Marie Jennings, 69 Baird Cove, Franklin 28734		x					7,778	207	7,982	0	4,309	1,029	0	1,565	6,903
Tellico	Eva Mae Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0				10		1,549	0	1,549	0	706	27	0	611	1,344
Tesenta	Non-reporting															
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781							1,501	0	1,501	0	451	0	0	337	788
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin 28734							1,261	0	1,261	0	667	0	0	280	947
Watauga	John P. Hopkins, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	10	x			0	0	8,000	0	8,000	0	3,000	200	0	3,000	6,200
Wells Grove	Jackie Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	8,098	0	8,098	0	2,220	5,434	0	817	8,471
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 966, Franklin 28734							0	0	0	0	489	0	0	595	1,084
White Oak Flats	Dorothy Waters, Topton 28781															
Windy Gap	Mrs. Grady Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	8				0	0	3,423	0	3,423	0	1,276	303	0	1,549	3,128
	TOTALS	315						$ 218,396	$ 1,107	$219,503	$ 1,381	$109,976	$ 30,638	$ 44,474	$ 73,984	$ 260,045

Table H MISSION EXPENDITURES Year Ending June 30 1971 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary) Rev. Cecil Frady

Address P. O. Box 64, Franklin, N. C. 28734

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125
		Church Sponsored Missions			Cooperative Missions											
		Money paid out on new construction during yr.	All other church sponsored mission exp.	Total church sponsored mission exp.	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State Missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. A. A. Easter Offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Mission (Lottie Moon Christmas Off.)	Designated: Christian Ed. (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Home (cash+goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the Aged	Designated: All other (Bible Soc. Temperance League, etc.)	Total Coop. missions expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Bethel Hill	Joe Morgan, Star Rt., Box 323, Topton 28781	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 40	$ 40	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 80
Black Mountain	Carl D. Morgan, Rt. 2, Box 294, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt., Box 293, Topton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	0	94	93	42	748	1,016	1,016
Buck Creek	Non-reporting															
Burningtown	Bill Simonds, Rt. 3, Box 584, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	598	894	0	0	0	1	23	20	6	0	1,542	1,542
Calvary	Miss Imogene Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	47	30	0	0	0	0	25	50	25	75	252	252
Cartoogechaye	Genevieve Arrant, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	439	900	0	0	230	0	424	0	0	800	2,793	2,793
Clear Creek	Mrs. Frank McCall, Rt. 2, Box 63, Highlands	0	0	0	9	90	0	0	0	0	61	55	63	0	284	284
Cowee	Mrs. Clarence Mason, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	932	600	63	242	1,000	2	90	84	23	125	3,161	3,161
Coweeta	Mrs. Nora B. Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga.	0	0	0	225	60	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	300	300
Ellijay	Non-reporting															
Fairview	Clyde Grant, Star Rt., Box 362, Topton 28781	0	160	160	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Flats	Non-reporting															
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Box 1105, Franklin	0	0	0	0	52	20	0	0	0	40	25	0	0	137	137
Franklin, First	Mrs. Kenneth Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 1327, Frank.	0	0	0	7,000	1,800	300	650	1,500	0	300	600	100	350	12,600	12,600
Franklin, West	Mrs. Leslie McDonald, 33 Green St., Franklin	0	0	0	200	120	0	0	50	0	8	0	0	0	378	378
Gold Mine	Larry C. Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	120	185	25	50	85	0	100	85	50	0	700	700
Higdonville	Mrs. Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Box 700, Franklin	0	0	0	687	170	0	0	42	0	105	86	0	0	1,090	1,090
Highlands, First	Louis E. Potts, P.O. Box 366, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	1,200	480	135	315	600	25	300	93	56	67	3,271	3,271
Holly Springs	Nobel Garrett, 36 Hillside St., Franklin 28734				182	364	149	109	261	0	377	23	59	0	1,524	1,524
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued															
Iotla	Mrs. J. H. Williams, Rt. 3, Box 924, Franklin	0	0	0	1,215	315	18	60	436	0	80	77	0	0	2,201	2,201
Kettle Rock	Inactive															
Liberty	Mrs. Sue McConnell, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	82	85	0	0	0	0	100	25	20	69	381	381
Longview	Mrs. Ed Ramey, Rt. 2, Box 370, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	95	180	25	143	300	0	332	75	0	0	1,150	1,150
Mashburn Branch	Mrs. Evalee Barrett, Rt. 6, Box 1033, Frank.	0	0	0	51	100	20	0	0	0	85	81	0	0	337	337
Mount Hope	Mrs. George Crawford, Rt. 1, Box 146, Franklin	0	0	0	1,009	346	39	185	225	0	35	50	0	79	1,968	1,968
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Frank Williams, Rt. 5, Box 858, Franklin	0	41	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	9	0	0	17	58
Nantahala No. 2	Mrs. Willa Mae Jacobs, Aquone 28703	0	196	196	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	0	40	236
Newman's Chapel	W. D. Long, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	210	3,337	3,547	120	57	0	0	124	0	102	166	0	0	569	4,116
Oak Dale	George H. Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	15	0	0	53	53
Oak Grove	Mrs. Rozell McCoy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	379	100	0	0	0	0	0	17	13	55	564	564
Pine Grove	Mrs. Shirley Stiles, Rt. 6, Box 526, Franklin	0	0	0	0	60	21	51	61	0	0	53	0	0	246	246
Pleasant Hill	Douglas Mason, Rt. 2, Box 1115, Franklin 28734															
Prentiss	Evelyn R. Brendle, Rt. 2, Box 774, Franklin	0	0	0	20	46	0	24	24	0	15	14	0	0	143	143
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Edward Crawford, Rt. 7, Box 562, Frank.	0	0	0	102	263	0	0	0	0	50	35	15	100	565	565
Rose Creek	D. L. Cabe, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734										25	40			65	65
Shortoff	James L. Lowe, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	72	102	45	0	0	0	58	56	0	0	333	333
Sugar Fork	DeWitt Thompson, Rt. 5, Box 140, Franklin	0	0	0	60	132	39	0	196	0	165	110	0	80	782	782
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	137	8	0	0	0	0	15	16	0	0	176	176
Tesenta	Non-reporting															
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton															
Walnut Creek	Elmira Hedden, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin 28734	0	25	25	20	20					30	60		50	180	205
Watauga	Mrs. Ralph Cassada, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1,308	100	0	50	0	215	150	200	0	2,023	2,023
Wells Grove	Elaine Long, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	60	0	207	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	327	327
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	10	0	25	25
White Oak Flats	Wade Wright, Box 4, Topton 28781															
Windy Gap	Mrs. Paul Smith, 113 Mashburn St., Franklin	0	0	0	140	60	0	60	0	0	100	25	10	0	395	395
	TOTALS	$ 210	$3,759	$3,769	$15,201	$8,921	$1,206	$1,889	$5,298	$ 28	$3,460	$2,363	$ 692	$2,598	$41,563	$45,452

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

Year Ending June 30 1971 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Moderator Rev. Earl Dendy

Address Rt. 1, Highlands, N. C. 28741

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES	19 No. church-type missions started	20 No. church-type missions operating	21 No. other-type missions started	22 No. other-type missions operating	23 Committees existing during past year: Church property & space	24 Stewardship	25 History	26 Missions	27 Public Rel.	Does church have or observe? 28 Kindergarten	29 Library	30 Recreation staff	31 Staff paper in budget	32 Church Council / Cabinet	33 Weekday child care	34 Television ministry	35 Radio ministry	36 Dept. or class M. Retarded	37 Life Comm. Sunday	38 Race Relations Sunday	39 Does church participate in Annuity Board program? Y	N	If yes, check staff positions included: Pastor	Assistant Pastor	Minister of Education	Music dir. or Song Leader	Other staff	40 Does church plan bldg. prog within the year? Y	N	41 No. ordained for Gospel this year	42 No. of deacons	43 No. college students baptized this year
Bethel Hill																							x								x		1	
Black Mountain																							x							x			4	
Briartown																							x								x			
Buck Creek	Non-reporting																																	
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734											x											x								x		6	
Calvary	Elmas Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537																						x								x			
Cartoogechaye	Roy Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734											x										x								x			
Clear Creek																							x								x		3	
Cowee	Mitton Fouts, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734											x			x							x		x						x			1	
Coweeta	Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Box 25, Otto 28763																					x		x					x				5	
Ellijay	Non-reporting																																	
Fairview																							x								x		3	
Flats	Inactive																																	
Franklin, East	Paul Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734											x											x								x			
Franklin, First	Norman Gilbert, Perry St., Franklin					x	x					x			x			x				x		x						x			3	
Franklin, West	Swann Elliott, 110 Palmer Dr., Franklin																						x								x			
Gold Mine						x			x									x					x							x		6	
Higdonville	Bill C. Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734													x																				
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, Scaly Mountain 28775					x																x		x							x			
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48A Lakeside Dr., Frank.													x																			9	
Horse Cove	Temporarily Discontinued																																	
Iotla	Glenn Campbell, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734						x		x			x			x									x							x		7	
Kettle Rock	Inactive																																	
Liberty	Dorman Gibson, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734											x											x								x		1	
Longview	Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734											x											x								x		6	
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734					x						x											x								x		5	
Mount Hope												x			x								x											
Mountain Grove																							x								x		3	
Nantahala No. 2	Dallas Rowland, Star Rt., Topton 28781																						x								x			
Newman's Chapel	Dave Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537																																3	
Oak Dale	Howard Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																																	
Oak Grove	Frank Browning, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734										x	x																					4	
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734																						x								x			1
Pleasant Hill	Dillard Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734					x																	x							x		1	8	
Prentiss	Jimmie Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734																						x								x		6	
Ridgecrest	Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734																						x								x			
Rose Creek																							x								x		4	
Shortoff	Alvin C. Crowe, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741																						x							x			5	
Sugar Fork	Howard Teem, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734																	x					x							x			4	
Tellico	Earl T. Slagle, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																						x								x		3	
Tesenta	Non-reporting																																	
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton																																5	
Walnut Creek																							x								x			
Watauga	Gene Cassada, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734																					x		x							x		7	
Wells Grove	Cliff Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734																						x							x			4	
West Union																																		
White Oak Flats	Clayton Bateman, Topton 28731																						x								x		5	
Windy Gap	Thad Wilson, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734														x								x								x		4	
	TOTALS																															1	125	1

HISTORICAL RECORD
North Carolina, Macon County Baptist Association
Organized in 1904

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1904	Franklin	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	J. A. Brendel
1905	Sugarfork	J. W. Kesterson	H. D. Dean	J. W. Watson
1906	Briartown	W. Bradley	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1907	Cartoogechaye	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	A. S. Solesby
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1908	Coweeta	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	T. C. King
1909	Burningtown	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1910	Watauga	F. Morgan	A. C. Hurst	T. J. Vinson
1911	Liberty	T. C. Bryson	A. C. Hurst	R. P. McCracken
1912	Pine Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	F. M. Morgan
1913	Oak Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	B. S. West
1914	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. T. Potts
1915	Pleasant Hill	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	R. T. Vann
1916	Mount Hope	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1917	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. L. Bradley
1918	Prentiss	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. C. Owens
1919	Sugar Fork	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1920	Holly Springs	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	J. A. Bryson
1921	Burningtown	J. A. Bryson	Robert Ramsey	D. C. McCoy
1922	Franklin	R. P. McCracken	Robert Ramsey	W. L. Bradley
1923	Nanahala	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	G. A. Cloer
1924	Watauga	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. L. Kinsland
1925	Tellico	H. D. Dean	T. C. Bryson	W. R. Rickman
1926	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	E. N. Gardner
1927	Holly Springs	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1928	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1929	Ridge Crest	W. M. Lee	R. M. Ledford	W. E. Abernathy
1930	Sugarfork	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1931	Pleasant Hill	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1932	Pine Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. F. Burrell
1933	Briartown	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1934	Franklin	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. L. Bradley
1935	Oak Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. R. Rickman
1936	Rainbow Springs	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. F. Mayberry
1937	Coweeta	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	C. F. Rogers
1938	Cartoogechaye	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. G. Benfield
1939	Clear Creek	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	M. A. Love
1940	Ellijay	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. W. Williams
1941	Newman Chapel	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1942	Burningtown	C. C. Welch	R. M. Ledford	G. A. Cloer
1943	Watauga	C. C. Welch	S. J. Smith	T. N. Carter
1944	Goldmine	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. C. Scruggs
1945	Holly Springs	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. F. Marchman
1946	Mount Hope	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	J. I. Vinson
1947	Cowee	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	H. E. Marchman
1948	Highlands	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	C. E. Parker
1949	Ridge Crest	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	Paul Nix
1950	Sugarfork	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	E. N. Holden
1951	Franklin	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	M. W. Chapman
	Watauga	----------	----------	W. L. Sorrells
1952	Oak Grove	H. H. Stocktor	Clyde Drake	John Corbitt
	Iotla	----------	----------	C. T. Taylor
1953	Newman's Chapel	W. L. Sorrells	----------	Arvil Taylor
	Tellico	----------	Vernon Higdon	Frank Reed
1954	Longview	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
	Ellijay	----------	----------	John Buell

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HISTORICAL REOCRD (continued):

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1955	Higdonville	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	L. Eugene Walter
	Mt. Hope	----------	----------	----------
1956	Burningtown	----------	----------	W. A. Cloer
	Iotla	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
1957	Watauga	M. C. Wyatt	Vernon Higdon	Clyde Rhinehart
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	----------
1958	Liberty	L. Eugene Walter	Mrs. J. Campbell	Doyle Miller
	Wells Grove	----------	----------	----------
	Prentiss	----------	----------	Lee Crawford
1959	Wells Grove	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	R. R. Standley
	Holly Springs	----------	----------	J. H. Propst, Jr.
1960	Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	L. A. Howard
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	Thad R. Dowdle
1961	Pine Grove	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. J. Campbell	Clyde W. Collins
	Iotla	----------	----------	Paul M. Sorrells
1962	Sugar Fork	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Judson Hall
	Coweeta	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Otto Parham
1963	Gold Mine	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Robert L. Clark
	Highlands	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	R. C. Bailey
1964	Windy Gap	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	Carl E. Sizemore
	West Franklin	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	L. C. Pinnix
1965	Cartoogechaye	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Gene Southard
	Ridge Crest	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Guy Duvall
1966	Oak Grove	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Clyde Collins
	Ellijay	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Cecil Frady
1967	Watauga	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Bill Shields
	Wells Grove			Earl Dendy
1968	East Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Pleasant Hill	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. Roy Smith
1969	Mashburn Branch	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	Mack Reed
	Mt. Hope	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	John R. Willis
1970	Newman Cahpel	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	M. I. Brock
	Holly Springs	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	Cecil Frady
1971	Cowee	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
	Longview	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch

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(Night Session)

BURNINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH
(Day Session)

SEPTEMBER 7 - 8, 1972

Moderator ---------- Rev. Earl Dendy

Clerk ---------- Mrs. Rugh B. Hess

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

1972-1973

Moderator	Rev. Earl Dendy
Vice Moderator	Rev. Jud Duvall
Treasurer	Mrs. Ann Welch
Clerk	Mrs. Larry Cabe
Historian	Miss Mae McCoy

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Sunday School Director	Mr. Charles Cabe
Associate Director	Rev. Gene Hawkins
Secretary	Miss June Brendle
Pianist	Mrs. James Hedden
Chorister	Mr. Jack Powell
Supt. of Training	Rev. Judson Hall
Supt. of Evangelism	Rev. Paul Morgan
Supt. of Extension	Rev. Jim Caryton
Supt. VBS	Mrs. Jack Powell

Department Leaders

Adults 18 & up	Rev. Jack King
Young People - 12-17	Mrs. Clyde Drake
Children - 6-11	Mrs. Charles Pickens
Pre-School - birth-5	Mrs. Tex Corbin

CHURCH TRAINING OFFICERS

Director	Mr. John Rogers
Associate Director	Mr. Roy Lowe
Secretary	Miss Elaine Long
Pianist	Miss Linda Frady
Chorister	Mr. John Johnson
Pastor Advisor	Rev. Cecil Frady
Adults 18 & up	Mr. Grady Nicholson
Children Division 6-11	Miss Karen Cook
Young Division 12-17	Mr. Jim Williamson
Pre-School Division Birth-5	Mrs. Patsy Drake

W. M. U. OFFICERS

Director	Mrs. Frankie Reynolds
Associate Director	Mrs. Mamie Raby
Baptist Women	Mrs. Mary Frances Parker
Young Baptist Women	Mrs. Linda Cabe
Acteen Director	Miss Linda Frady
Girls In Action	
Mission Friends	Mrs. Jean Holt
Social Chairman	Mrs. Zena Pearl Brogden
Publicity Chairman	Mrs. Mary Justice
Sec. & Treas.	Mrs. Becky Garrett

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:
Rev. J. S. Cunningham
Rev. Gene Hawkins
Rev. Mack Reed
Mr. Bob Bishop
Mr. Fred Stiles

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:
Mr. Weaver Fox
Mr. Zeb Hall
Rev. Bill Shields
Mr. Bob Bishop
Rev. Ernie Sanders
Rev. Jack King
Rev. Bill Smith

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE:
Rev. Jess Cunningham
Rev. Bill Shields
Rev. Alton Dendy

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:
Rev. C. C. Welch
Rev. Andy Cloer
Rev. Bill Smith
Mr. Cliff Cook
Mr. Marshall Fouts

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:
Mrs. Cliff Cook
Mrs. Clyde Kinsland

MUSIC COMMITTEE:
Mr. John Johnson

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE:
Rev. M. I. Brock
Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
Rev. Gene Hawkins

TRUSTEES:
Mr. Merritt Fouts
Mr. H. H. Plemmons
Mr. Roy Rickman

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL AGENCIES:

Children's Homes	Mr. Roy Rickman
Baptist Hospital	Mr. Bruce Bryant
Homes for Aging	Mr. John Roper
Christian Education	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Biblical Recorder	Mrs. Edd Brogden
Cooperative Program	Mr. Swan Elliott
Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
Ministers Retirement	Rev. C. C. Welch

COMMITTEE ON PASTORLESS CHURCHES:
Missions Committee

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES:
Moderator
Vice-Moderator
Sunday School Director
Church Training Director
Field Worker
WMU Director
Brotherhood Director

PROGRAM and PLACE COMMITTEE:
Moderator
Vice-Moderator
Field Worker
Two Laymen

TRUETT CAMP COMMITTEE:
Rev. Alton Dendy
Rev. Andrew Cloer

CONSTITUTION

As Amended from Time to Time

ARTICLE I - Name

This Association shall be known as the Macon Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II - Object

The object of this Association shall be:

1. To cultivate a friendly union among the churches for their mutual benefit.
2. To cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention in the promotion of the causes of Associational Missions, State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and such other objects as these conventions may foster.

ARTICLE III - Membership

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Macon County who shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers.

Section 2. This Association shall have the right to determine what churches shall be admitted to its union, and to withdraw fellowship from any, for not complying with its rules or with the Articles of its Constitution and By-Laws, or for violating orthodox principles as set forth and believed by Southern Baptists.

Section 3. Any church desiring membership in the Association will present its request at any regular annual meeting. The request will be referred to a Credential Committee appointed by the Association, which committee, will examine the church's articles of faith, covenant, form of organization and such other matters as deemed necessary. Upon favorable report of the committee at the next annual meeting of the Association, the church may be received into fellowship by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present.

Section 4. It shall be a duty of each church to furnish the Association each year a letter, on a form provided by the clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form; and to send with the letter or by a messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes of the Association. This letter and accompanying money to cover cost of minutes requested shall be in the clerk's hands thirty (30) days prior to annual meeting.

ARTICLE IV - Meetings

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the second Sunday in August. The associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

Section 2. The business of the Association shall be transacted by the pastors of the several churches, and two messengers from each church, together with one additional messenger for every fifty members or fraction thereof above the first fifty, with no church having more than fifteen messengers.

Section 3. This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules as may be adopted, amended or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. "Roberts' Rules of Order" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE V - Officers and Committees

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, and three trustees.

Section 2. The standing Committees of this Association shall be the Executive Committee, the Missions Committee, the Nominating Committee, Credential and Ordination Committee, Evangelism Committee, Program and Place Committee, and such other committees as the body may direct. The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be Ex-Officio members of all standing Committees.

ARTICLE VI - Associational Missionary

Section 1. The Association shall employ an Associational Missionary whose duties are described as follows:

(a) Work with and under the general supervision of the Missions Committee of the Association in maintaining and directing the Associational Program of Missions.

(b) Give guidance, counsel, and assistance whenever possible, and/or as needed to associational officers, organizations, and committees.

(c) Share and distribute information concerning plans and activities of the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention as they relate to the work and program of the churches.

(d) Make himself available to each church and pastor, as his schedule permits, for any service he might render, such as preaching, teaching and counseling.

(e) Administer or execute any other activities that the Association shall direct.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall be called for an indefinite term to serve until the relationship is disolved at the request of eigher the Missionary or the Association. In either case, at least sixty days notice shall be given of termination of the relationship, unless otherwise mututally agreed, with both the Missionary and the Association seeking to follow the will of God and the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Section 3. The missionary shall be provided with such salary and expenses as the Missions Committee shall recommend with the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VII - Amendments

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the annual meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I - Election of Officers

All general officers of this Association shall be elected at each annual meeting upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee. The terms of office to begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting and to continue until the close of the next annual meeting. Any vacancies occurring in the interim shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II - Duties of Officers

Section 1. THE MODERATOR: The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officers of a deliberative body and shall also serve as chairman of the Executive Committee. He shall serve not more than two years consecutively. He shall appoint during the first session committees to report at the Annual Associational Meeting. These committees are: Resolutions and any other committees.

Section 2. THE VICE-MODERATOR: The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.

Section 3. THE CLERK: The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association and have the same printed and distributed subject to the approval of the Moderator and Treasurer.

Section 4. THE TREASURER: The Treasurer shall preserve all monies paid into the body and pay the same upon the instruction of the Association, or Missions Committee. He shall make a quarterly report to the Executive Committee and an annual report to the Association.

Section 5. THE HISTORIAN: The Historian shall record and keep a record of such items as would be of interest to a future historian, in a book kept for that purpose. He shall keep a file of the Associational minutes.

Section 6. THE TRUSTEES: The Trustees shall be three in number and shall hold title to all properties owned by the Association. No conveyance or deed-of-trust shall be executed affecting the title of said property except upon the instructions of the annual meeting of the Association or the Executive Committee. The Trustees shall serve terms of three years with one-third elected each year.

ARTICLE III - The Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the pastors of the churches of the Association, and one lay member from each church.

Section 2. The lay members shall be elected by the Church and reported to the Association on the Annual Associational Letter. The officers of the Association, heads of Associational Organizations and pastors are automatically on the committee by virtue of the places of leadership they hold in the Association.

Section 3. Duties of the Executive Committee:

(a) To meet quarterly and upon call of the chairman.

(b) To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.

(c) To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational Officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired terms.

(d) To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.

ARTICLE IV - The Missions Committee

Section 1. The Missions Committee shall be composed of four pastors and three laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The pastors shall be elected for a term of two years with one-half the number being elected each year. The laymen shall be elected for a term of three years with one-third of the number being elected each year. The committee shall elect its chairman and secretary each year.

Section 2. Duties of the Missions Committee: To lead in our Associational Missions Program through:

(a) General supervision and guidance of the Associational Mission Program.

(b) Seeking out an Associational Missionary, making nominations in event of vacancy.

(c) Planning a Program of Activities with the Associational Missionary.

(d) The Recommendation of an Associational Budget to the Executive Committee meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Association.

(e) The supervision of the expenditure of the budget.

(f) The enlistment of the churches in the active financial support of the Associational Mission program.

ARTICLE V - The Credential and Ordination Committee

Section 1. The Credential and Ordination Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Credential and Ordination Committee:

(a) Examine applications churches seeking admission into Association.

(b) Make necessary recommendations to the Association.

(c) Encourage all churches to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry.

(d) Upon the invitation of the church conducting the ordination, represent the Association on the examining council.

ARTICLE VI - The Nominating Committee

Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen to be appointed by the Moderator during the first session of each annual Associational Meeting. The first named shall be chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Nominating Committee:

(a) To nominate the general officers of the Association.

(b) To nominate the Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

(c) To nominate the Associational Training Union Director.

(d) To nominate the Orphanage, Hospital, Biblical Recorder, and Baptist Home for the aging representatives.

(e) To nominate Associational Brotherhood president.

(f) To nominate Associational Music Director.

(g) To nominate the standing committees that are to function during the year between the sessions of the Association.

(h) To fill vacancies occuring in any of the standing committees during the year.

Section 3. All other officers are to be recommended by the heads of the organizations and departments to the Nominating Committee.

ARTICLE VII - Committee on Evangelism

Section 1. The Committee on Evangelism shall be composed of three members nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Committee on Evangelism:

(a) Study and keep the Association and trend of Baptism within the Association.

(b) Plan and promote such meetings as will keep the cause of Evangelism before the Association.

ARTICLE VIII - Program and Place Committee

Section 1. This committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary and two laymen.

Section 2. Duties:

(a) This committee shall plan the program of the annual meeting as to time, place, and preacher and all necessary events.

(b) This program shall be presented to the Executive Committee at its last regular meeting before the Association.

ARTICLE IX - Reports

All reports to the Annual Associational Meeting are to be in the Associational Missionary's office thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Associational Meeting.

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PROGRAM

SIXTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "Proclaim Liberty to All"

NIGHT SESSION WITH HIGDONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
September 7, 1972 - 7:30 P. M.

7:30	Call to Worship	Moderator
	Hymn No. 407 "Loyalty to Christ"	Mr. John Johnson
7:35	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. Gene Hawkins
	Recognition of Pastors and Visitors	Moderator
	Enrollment and Statistical Report	Mrs. Charles Hess
	Report of Committee on Order of Business	Moderator
7:50	Proclaim Liberty to all through Missions	
	Associational Missions	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
	Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
	State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
8:10	Proclaiming Liberty to All through Baptist Literature	
	Biblical Recorder Report	Mrs. Edd Brogden
	Speaker:	Biblical Recorder Repres.
8:25	Woman's Missionary Union Report	Mrs. Minnie Berry
8:35	Hymn No. 439 "Ready"	Mr. John Johnson
	Business	
	Executive Promotion Committee Report	Moderator
	Treasurer's Report	Mrs. Betty Pendland
	Finance Committee Report	Rev. Bill Shields
	Mission Committee Report	Rev. Bill Shields
	Miscellaneous Business	
8:50	Hymn No. 2 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"	Mr. Johnson
	Annual Sermon and Benediction	Rev. Jack King

DAY SESSION WITH BURNINGTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH
Morning Session - September 8, 1972 - 9:30 A. M.

THEME: "Proclaim liberty to All"

	Piano Meditation	
9:30	Hymn No. 420 "My Soul, Be on Thy Guard"	Mr. Johnson
	Scripture, Prayer & Welcome	Rev. C. C. Welch
9:40	Report on Evangelism	Rev. J. S. Cunningham
9:50	Cooperative Program Report	Mr. Swann Elliott
	Speaker:	Mr. Tom Green
10:05	Baptist Foundation Report	Mr. Gordon Maddrey
	Speaker	
10:15	Hymn No. 311 "There's a Glad New Song"	Mr. Johnson

10:20 Proclaiming Liberty through Social Service
Home for the Aging Report ------ Mr. John Roper
Speaker ---------- Mr. Bill Poole
Baptist Hospital Report --------- Mr. Bruce Bryant
Speaker ---------- Mr. Calvin Knight
Children's Home Report ---------- Mr. Roy Rickman
Speaker ---------- Mr. Hugh Starnes
11:05 Hymn No. 199 "Free From the Law, O Happy Condition" ---------- Mr. Johnson
11:25 Doctrinal Message ---------- Rev. Jim Crayton
12:00-1:00-Fellowship and Lunch
Grace for Noon Meal---------- Rev. Luther Osment

AFTERNOON SESSION
September 8, 1972 - 1:00 P. M.

1:00 Piano Meditation
Hymn No. 40 "A Mighty Fortress is our God"- Mr. John Johnson
Scripture and Prayer ---------- Rev. Harvey Stewart
1:10 Report of Associational Committees -- Rev. C. C. Welch
Report of Nominating Committee ----- Moderator
Place and Preacher Committee ----- Moderator
1:25 Proclaiming Liberty for all through Education
Christian Education Report ------- Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Speaker ----------
Fruitland ----------
Seminary Extension Report ------ Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
Truett Camp Report ---------- Rev. Ralph Easterly
Baptist College ----------
2:00 Proclaiming Liberty for all through Associational Programs
Vacation Bible School ---------- Mrs. Mary Powell
Brotherhood Report ----------
G. A. Report ----------Mrs. Charles McKay
Church Training Report ----------Mr. John Rogers
Sunday School Report ----------Mr. Verlin Curtiss
Music Report ---------- Mr. John Johnson
County Wide Deacon Report ------
2:20 Honoring the Deceased ---------- Rev. M. I. Brock
2:30 Report of the Resolutions Committee -- Mrs. Charles Pickens
Mrs. Garland Willis
2:35 Historian Report ---------- Miss Mae McCoy
2:45 Hymn No. 207 "Rescue the Perishing"- Mr. Johnson
2:50 Inspirational Message ----------Rev. Alton Dendy
Installation of Officers for 1972-73 ---- Moderator
Benediction ----------Rev. Bill Smith

PROCEEDINGS

of the
SIXTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION

of the
MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "Proclaim Liberty to All in 1972-73"

The Macon Baptist Association met in its sixty-ninth annual session with the Higdonville Baptist Church on Thrusday evening, September 7, 1972. Mrs. Fred Corbin played a five-minute prelude at the piano while the evening session was gathering.

THURSDAY EVENING - SEPTEMBER 7, 1972

1. The Association was called to order by Moderator Rev. Earl Dendy. In the absence of the clerk, Mrs. Ruth Hess, a clerk protem had to be elected; the moderator adked for nominations. Rev. C. C. Welch nominated Mrs. Jean Frady; this nomination was seconded by Mr. Fred Corbin and the nomination carried.
2. Mr. John Johnson, Associational Music Director, led in singing "Loyalty to Christ" with Mrs. Fred Corbin at the piano.
3. The host pastor, Rev. Gene Hawkins, welcomed the sixty-ninth session to Higdonville Baptist Church. Rev. Hawkins read II Corinthians 3:2-3, and led in prayer.
4. At this time the moderator extended a welcome to pastors and visitors asking them to stand stating their name and church of their pastorate. Two new pastors were Rev. Billy Smith, Mt. Hope Baptist Church, and Rev. Glenn Whitley, Cowee Baptist Church. Also the state representatives were welcomed to the Association.
5. The report on enrollment and statistics was submitted by Mrs. Cecil Frady, clerk protem. The clerk had received 41 letters representing 120 messengers. A roll of the churches was called with those elected by their churches as messengers standing to constitute the governing body of the Associational meeting. The clerk protem moved the adoption of the statistical summary to be accepted as information. Also moved was acceptance of the attending messengers and other duly appointed messengers who might arrive later to constitute the sixty-ninth annual session of the Macon Baptist Association. The motion passed and the report was adopted.
6. The moderator pointed out two corrections in the Book of Reports:
    1. The nominating committee typed in the Book of Reports was the 1972 nomination committee.
    2. The deceased listed under West Union Baptist Church should have listed as messengers rather than deceased.
7. The printed program was adopted with the necessary modifications to be made.
8. Rev. Cecil Frady called attention to the Associational Missions Report and spoke to this report.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

We are so very grateful for the thirty seven churches that has contributed to the support of the Association this year. Twenty six churches have increased their gifts this Associational Year. For this we're thankful, but we are looking forward for all forty seven churches to have a part in Associational Missions.

For the many Baptisms reported this year we are most grateful unto God for this is fullfilling the Great Commission "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. (Matt. 28:19). Still our greatest need in our Association is for each Christian to take up his or her cross and follow Christ daily that we might Witness for Him together, who gave us so much. Verse 20 in Matt. 28 also says "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. We long to see our young converts taught, and to have more unity, love, and cooperation among our people in our Association.

Some churches have remodeled and expanded their buildings and added Sunday School Rooms, built new Sanctuary and paved parking lots and many other improvements.

Through all the accomplishments there has been some slackness of the attendance of the Executive Promotion Committee Meetings and also Pastors Conference. Our Bible teaches us not to be slothful, and to do God's work decent and in order. It is hard to carry on business when we don't have many to attend. Pastors conference is for the pastors to help strengthen one another and discuss any problems and pray together. We hope to see all our pastors interested in these conferences in the coming year that we might help each other: Also, the Executive Committee Meeting is to carry on the business of the Association between the Annual Meetings. We only have four a year and this includes the pastor one laymen of each church and all Associational officers. We need your presence to carry on this great work.

Respectfully submitted, Cecil M. Frady, Assoc. Missionary

9. The Home Missions Report prepared by Mrs. Connie Campbell was received as information.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

In our Nation there are approximately 80 million not identified with any religious group and a high percentage of church members, existing in name only, relating to the work of Christ. So our Home Missionaries and those who serve Christ in America are placed in the midst of one of the great evangelism and mission fields in the world. What we do in America will determine a lot in the spread of the Gospel around the world.

High cost of living and slow down in giving has affected the mission force. Two thirds of all missionaries are supported by state conventions and one-third supported by Home Missions. This mission force serves in all fifty states, Puerto Rico, and Panama.

The Division in Evangelism has added staff members for special work in TV, Bus and Renewal Efforts in Evangelism. In Bus Evangelism William Powell and renewal evangelism, Reid Hardin.

There are 909 Southern Baptist Ministers serving as Chaplains. This includes military, hospitals, institutions and industry. This is an increase over last year.

The Church loans have broadened their services and disaster help was provided last year in Hurricane that hit Coast of Texas and relief provided in helping California recover from the earthquake.

The Home Mission Board sponsored 693 Student Summer Personnel in 1971. Eighty-seven of the 693 sponsored by the Board received no compensation and 21 paid their own travel expenses.

The theme in Home Mission work "Extend Now" is being emphasised. "Extend Now" stresses the use of organized work, such as Sunday School, Vacation Bible Schools and other organizations.

Reduced funds have slowed the appointment of qualified people. Lets help in this financial pinch in our Home Mission Work. Almost 1/2 budget comes from Annie Armstrong Offerings and that is not enough. Let's pray and give to help doors open and dreams come true for the future of Home Missions. Respectfully submitted, Connie Campbell

10. The Foreign Missions Report was prepared by Miss Barbara Roper and was received as information.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

At the close of 1971 the Foreign Mission Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2, 926 in 75 geographical or political entities. Appointments during the year totaled 226. Organized churches with which Southern Baptist missionaries are related on mission fields now total 6, 045, of which more than 70 per cent are self-supporting, Educational institutions under Baptist auspices in many countries include all levels from kindergarten through university. Publication ministries are also an important part of Southern Baptist overseas missions, as all kinds of Christian literature are provided for purposes of evangelism and the developing of church life.

The program of hospitals and medical care serve the physical need of thousands of people who would otherwise be neglected and often open doors for evangelistic witness. During 1972 missionaries and national workers engaged in this ministry treated nearly 50, 000 inpatients and more than 941, 000 outpatients.

Benevolent ministries include agricultural programs, good will and community centers, children's homes, and direct relief work. During 1972 Southern Baptist, through the Foreign Mission Board, provided funds for victims of disease, war, and natural disasters in several countries.

Southern Baptist Missions and National Baptist groups in dozens of countries continue to call for reinforcements in missionary personnel. Some requests are still not filled even though they have been repeated for several years and are still urgent. May we continue to be joined in prayer for this great cause.

Submitted by Barbara Roper

11. The State Missions Report was prepared by Mrs. Paul Ammons and received as information.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

The third Sunday in September is set for State Missions Day; a time for prayer and offering. We are happy to report that Macon County had a good increase in Mission giving over the year 1970. We are grateful to God for this increase.

When we give to State Missions we help struggling churches, assist in starting new missions, and help other until they can help themselves. We have received state aid in our Macon Baptist Office and Field Worker's Home in our Association. Also some of our churches receive aid in paying their pastors' salaries and aid in purchasing property.

How much will you do in 1972 that others might be helped through our support?

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Paul Ammons

12. All missions reports were adopted at this time. Following the adoption of the reports, Rev. Cecil Frady presented a plaque for display during the annual meeting; this plaque honors Mrs. Paul West who donated the property for the Associational Office and Home and will be hung in the Associational Office after this meeting.

13. The Biblical Recorder Report was prepared by Mrs. Edd Brogden and was spoken to by Rev. Woodrow Hill, Field Representative of the Biblical Recorder.

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is nearing the 100,000 mark in circulation--thanks to churches and individuals all over the state who have helped to bring this about. Once this goal is reached, new ones will be set as part of a continuing effort to put the RECORDER in every Baptist home in North Carolina.

Not only in circulation progress, but in other ways this has been a good year for the RECORDER. During this year, Woodrow W. Hill, well-known pastor and writer, came with the RECORDER as field representative. He will be speaking in associations, churches, pastors' conferences and in other meetings all over the state. Thus he will join the editor and associate editor in seeking to carry the RECORDER message to every corner of North Carolina.

This was also the year that the RECORDER went to computer. Because of growing circulation, this had to be done.

As it has in the past, the RECORDER seeks to keep North Carolina Baptist informed on important issues. This is a heavy responsibility and the editor and his staff feel keenly the need of your prayers as they seek to be good stewards to North Carolina Baptists. If your church does not have the RECORDER in the budget, or if it does not have a club at all, please take the leadership in seeing that this situation is corrected in the coming year. The RECORDER will be 140 years old next January 18. Those responsible for its publication each week recommit themselves to this important ministry of the printed word.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Edd Brogden

14. Mrs. Minnie Berry moved the adoption of the WMU Report. The motion carried.

WMU REPORT

The year began with a Leadership Conference held at Franklin First Church. Twelve churches were represented at this meeting held to help new officers learn about the materials needed to carry on the work in each church.

In November our Foreign Mission study course was taught at the First Church. The study was entitled "New Drums over Africa".

In December the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions was observed and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering emphasized.

During the WMU Focus Week in February, the Home Missions study course was taught at West Franklin Baptist Church. "Catalyst in Missions" was the title of this study book.

In March the Week of Prayer for Home Missions was held and the Annie Armstrong Offering collected.

Our annual meeting was held April 4th, 1972 at Franklin First Baptist Church. The speaker was Mr. Boone Messer who showed a film "To Russia With Love". The theme of the meeting was "Freedom's Holy Light".

In May the WMU furnished the refreshments for the dedication of the New Macon Baptist Associational Building.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Minnie Berry

15. Mr. John Jonnson led the group in singing "Ready".

16. The moderator appointed Rev. J. S. Cunningham, Rev. Gene Hawkins, Rev. Mack Reed, Mr. Bob Bishop, and Mr. Fred Stiles to serve on the nominating committee.

17. The Executive Promotion Committee Report was given orally by the moderator.

1. Agreed to complete basement of Associational Home.
2. Agreed to authorize the trustees to give back a part of the Floyd Welch right-of-way which would not be used by the Association. This transaction was completed September 7, 1972.

3. Elected Rev. M. I. Brock to fill the unexpired term of Rev. J. W. Myers as General Board member.

Mr. Fred Corbin moved the oral report be accepted. The motion was seconded by Mr. John Johnson and carried.

18. In the absence of the treasurer, Rev. Cecil Frady spoke to the Treasurer's Report. Rev. Frady moved the adoption of the Report and Rev. Judson Hall seconded the motion. The Report was adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT
July 1, 1971 through June 30, 1972

Balance Brought Forward from Previous Year			$2,896.43
Contributions for Year:			
Bethel Hill	$ 5.00	Mashburn Branch	112.00
Black Mountain	6.00	Mt. Hope	563.52
Briartown	12.00	Nantahale No. 2	4.00
Burningtown	143.00	Newman's Chapel	512.40
Calvary	35.00	Oak Dale	8.00
Cartoogechaye	1,000.00	Oak Grove	127.68
Clear Creek	102.94	Pine Grove	148.00
Cowee	768.00	Pleasant Hill	100.00
Cowetta	5.00	Prentiss	130.00
East Franklin	51.00	Ridgecrest	423.88
Ellijay	105.00	Shortoff	177.16
Franklin First	2,151.45	Sugar Fork	142.00
Goldmine	197.00	Walnut Creek	24.00
Higdonville	250.00	Watauga	78.00
Highlands	724.00	Wells Grove	126.75
Holly Springs	385.87	West Franklin	158.00
Ietla	495.00	West Union	43.51
Liberty	195.00	Windy Gap	245.00
Longview	430.00	Anonymous Donors	959.51
Long Distance Tel. Calls			35.39
Cecil Frady (on rug for office and material storage house)			175.38
Linda Frady (Upholstering couch in office)			35.40
J. C. Jacobs (seed, fertilizer for lawn)			191.50
R. D. Carson			25.00
Mimograph paper sold			2.00
James Medlin			3.95
N. C. Bapt. State Convention			3,891.00
Total Contributions for year			$15,505.17
Borrowed from First Union National Bank		$9,000.00	
(less int.)		90.00	
		$8,910.00	
Withdrawal Savings Acct. Macon Bldg. Loan		10,895.60	
Interest earned		258.76	
			11,154.36
Borrowed from First Union National Bank			11,500.00
Total, All Income received during year			$49,965.96

DISBURSEMENTS

Office Rent	$ 150.00
Office Phone	227.46
Postage & Mailing permit	88.80
Electricity	346.54
Telephone	185.69
Rent (Field Worker)	450.00

Nanathala Power Light	$ 17.52
Rev. Cecil Frady (Salary & Travel)	6,200.03
Annuity (Rev. Cecil Frady)	633.38
Rev. Cecil Frady (Ex. Evangelistic Conference)	50.00
Claude Welch	25,550.00
Franklin Const. (gravel)	53.49
BKC Const. (gravel, dozer, pipe)	1,793.17
Brown & Carson (fertilize, seed)	191.50
Macon Co. Supply (drapery rods)	76.47
Nantahala Lumber Co. (drapery rods)	18.76
Rev. Tim Norman (M Night)	25.00
Macon Co. Supply (Sealer for Basement)	13.47
Bates Ready Mix (Walk)	46.00
West Bldg. Supply, Walk	14.00
West Bldg. Supply, storm doors	119.51
West Bldg. Supply (material for storage house)	40.00
J. B. Tippett-Upholstering	35.40
Imperial, put down office rug	25.00
Henry Office Supply	2.53
Hilton Bus. Equip.	4.78
Gray & Creech Office Supplies	79.66
Bapt. Book Store (VBS)	31.79
Town Franklin (Water tap)	135.00
Betty Pendland, Treasurer	100.00
Franklin Ins. (Bldg. Risk)	146.00
Macon Co. Register deeds (loan)	5.50
Loan Interest First Union	115.00
Macon Co. Bldg. Loan Assoc. plus interest	10,759.00
Total Disbursements for year	$47,730.45

Balance on hand June 30, 1972, Regular checking account --- $2,235.51

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Betty Penland

19. The moderator recognized Rev. Bill Shields who in turn recognized Rev. Cecil Frady. The Finance Committee Report and the proposed budget was presented by Rev. Frady. A motion was made to adopt this report. Mr. Fred Corbin seconded the motion and it carried.

BUDGET 1972-73

SALARIES:	
Field Worker's Salary	$5,200.00
Treasurer's Salary	100.00
Clerk's Salary	100.00
Total Salaries	$5,400.00
GENERAL EXPENSE:	
Water, Lights, heat	850.00
Field Worker's Travel Expense	1,000.00
Field Worker's Convention Expense	300.00
Field Worker's Annuity	400.00
Office Phone	300.00
Printing of Minutes (extras)	60.00
Office Supplies and Postage	225.00
Maintenance	150.00
Total General Expenses	$ 3,285.00
PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES	
Sunday School	50.00
Training Union	50.00
Brotherhood & R A's	50.00

Woman's Missionary Union	$ 125.00
Missions Committee	25.00
Music Department	25.00
Vacation Bible School	50.00
Total Promotional Expenses	$ 350.00

Grand Total	$9,035.00
Less Convention Supplement	2,375.00
To be raised by the churches	$6,660.00

HOUSE PAYMENT 1973

Pledges and love gifts needed from churches in 1973 for House Payment	$5,175.62

20. Rev. C. C. Welch offered an amendment to the Constitution as found on page 5 of the 1971 Associational Minutes. Article IV, Section I, Part I.

As amended to read:

The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the second Sunday in August. The Associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

This amendment was seconded by Rev. Judson Hall and was adopted by the Association. No one opposed.

21. Mr. John Johnson led in singing "Love Divine, All Love Excelling".

22. The time having come for the Annual Sermon, the moderator presented Rev. Jack King, Cartoogechaye Baptist Church. The Scriptural passage used by Rev. King was found in Matthew 28:19-20 and the subject of his sermon was "Let's Live". Rev. King asked Mr. Johnson to lead in singing "Just As I Am" and challenged the congregation to proclaim "Liberty to All" through Soul-Winning. Everyone present joined hands around the sanctuary. Rev. C. C. Welch led in the closing prayer. Adjournment was at 9:30 p.m.

Rev. Earl Dendy, Moderator
Mrs. Cecil Frady, Clerk Protem

FRIDAY MORNING - SEPTEMBER 8, 1972

BURNINGTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH

23. Burningtown Baptist Church was host for the Friday morning session. Moderator Earl Dendy called this second session to order at 9:30 a.m. Mr. Fred Corbin, in the absence of Mr. John Johnson, led the group in singing "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus".

The piano accompaniement was provided by Mrs. Fred Corbin.

24. Rev. C. C. Welch, pastor of the host church, extended a welcome to those attending the Friday session. He chose as his Scripture Romans 14:10 and followed the reading of the Scripture with a prayer thanking God for our Association and asking His blessings on our work.

25. The Evangelism Report prepared by Rev. J. S. Cunningham was received as information and spoken to by Mr. Jimmy Henson who enumerated on the many opportunities for evangelism in our state today.

EVANGELISM REPORT

It is exciting what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of evangelism in our state. 6,000 youth and adults in 425 churches have now participated in Lay Evangelism Schools or Pastor's Retreats. Forty-two associations already have confirmed dates for schools. We thank God for this tremendous response to the important emphasis of lay witnessing. This will be a continuing effort in future years.

Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons attended the 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference in Fayetteville last February. Special conferences were held with practical emphasis on different phases of evangelism during the first afternoon session. Outstanding speakers challenged pastors to involve their people in the total ministry of evangelism through the church.

The Division of Evangelism in cooperation with the Department of Communications and the Division of Church Programs sponsored a Statewide Communications, Evangelism and Administration Conference in Greensboro in May. The purpose was to help pastors and others communicate the Gospel of Christ more effectively.

A new week at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly at Southport during June 12-16 was Youth Ministries Week with inspiration and training in Evangelism, Vocational Guidance and Recreation. All evening sessions were centered around Bible Study and a workshop experience in learning how to witness for Christ. Over 600 youth and adults were present for the week. On Friday evening 113 youth made different kinds of public decisions. Next June we will have another Youth Ministries Week.

Almost 20,000 youth, pastors and adult leaders are expected to attend the 2nd Statewide Youth Evangelism Night on August 18 at the Greensboro Coliseum. It is evident that God is working through Christian youth today to share His Gospel in a thrilling, significant manner.

Let us rejoice in the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide evangelistic crusades and associational evangelism clinics during the past year. It is our hope and prayer that we shall continue to have a strong increase in baptisms this coming year that many more persons may experience Christ by genuine faith commitment.

The 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be February 5-7, 1973 at Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte.

Remember to pray earnestly for the leadership of the Holy Spirit in the total ministry of evangelism in North Carolina, our nation and our world.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. J. S. Cunningham

26. The Baptist Foundation Report, prepared by C. Gordon Maddrey, was received as information and was also spoken to by Mr. Jimmy Henson.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., is a charitable corporation. It was chartered on November 24, 1920, under the laws of the State of North Carolina. As a charitable corporation, it and its donors presently have certain tax savings.

It was created by the Convention for the purpose of procuring endowment funds and for administering such funds, for all institutions and agencies, owned and controlled by the Convention. It is independent of the causes it serves, but committed to their best interests. It is not a competitive agency, but a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all of our Baptist work.

Any property owner who wishes to do so - Baptist or non-Baptist, resident or non-resident, man or woman, young or old, can use the Baptist Foundation through cash, securities (stocks, bonds, notes, mortgages); real property (farms, woodland, houses, lots); and any and every other kind of property, real or personal. These gifts can be in the form of a living trust, gift annuity, or by bequests in wills.

The Baptist Foundation stands ready at all times to aid individuals in making adequate preparation to use of the foregoing methods in providing for any agency or institution fostered by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina or any of the Southern Baptist Convention agencies or institutions.

When one uses the Baptist Foundation, one is EXTENDING HIS STEWARDSHIP IN PERPETUITY. This can and does bring a great deal of satisfaction and joy to the person who uses the Foundation for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted, C. Gordon Maddrey, Ex. Sec.

27. The Cooperative Program Report was prepared by Swann Elliott and was received as information.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

The Cooperative Program is a part of the tithes and your offerings given through your church. Thus, your dedicated life with a part of your day-to-day labor goes toward witnessing to a lost world.

The Cooperative Program is sharing your love of God through 6,000 state, home and foreign missionaries. Last year they were instrumental in bringing more than 66,000 people to Christ who in turn followed Him into the waters of baptism.

The Cooperative Program is busy training capable leaders by helping students with scholarships in more than 800 Baptist schools with more than 100,000 pupils around the world.

The Cooperative Program is ministering to the needs of the sick through 21 Baptist hospitals and 105 clinics in many nations. You helped more than 1,000,000 patients last year who could not pay the cost of their care. The Cooperative Program aids in bringing shelter, food, clothing and other necessities of life to 8,000 homeless children plus more than 2,000 elderly people through Children's Homes and Homes for the Aging throughout the world.

Last year 1,020 Baptist churches in North Carolina increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they contributed the previous year. Did the church where you serve increase this much?

Will you do two things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to make a worthy increase in Cooperative Program giving?
2. Will you pray for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes each day?

Respectfully submitted, Swann Elliott

28. At this time Mr. Fred Corbin led the group in singing "Higher Ground". Also at this time Moderator Dendy reminded the session of the theme of our Associational meeting this year "Proclaiming Liberty to All".

29. The Annuity Board Report prepared by Rev. Judson Hall was received as information and was spoken to by Luther Osmit.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

We had one church in our Association to provide a retirement plan for their pastor this year. We now have a total of four churches providing this protection for their pastors.

This protection plan provides early retirement, disability and benefit for widow.

Churches your pastor needs some kind of protection for old age and provision for his family in case something happened to him.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Judson Hall

30. The Children's Homes Report prepared by Roy Rickman was spoken to by Rev. Cecil Frady in the absence of Hugh Starnes.

CHILDREN'S HOMES REPORT

The child care and family service ministry of the Baptist Children's Homes in Western North Carolina is an exciting and rewarding experience. Children, to whom we minister, are responding in a wonderful way to the Christian love and care provided them.

Broyhill Home in Haywood County, opened last year, has served to strengthen all of our services to children and members of their families in

the Western area of the State. This facility has been a blessing to the twenty-nine children who live there as well as those who have made it possible. The children have adjusted readily to school, church and community life in general. They are happy with the beautiful and comfortable cottages in which they live and with the care afforded them by members of the staff.

Through the generosity of many friends, we have under construction two additional cottages at Broyhill Home. One is being made possible by the people at the Haywood Baptist Association--the other by members of the J. E. Broyhill family of Lenoir for whom the campus is named. When completed in December of this year we will have four cottages with a capacity for slightly over fifty children. Remaining to be built is the administration building and a home for the local superintendent.

The Maternity Home in Asheville has been in operation for two years and has met a great need in the lives of the more than thirty girls with whom we have worked. Many lives have been changed for good for time and eternity as a result of this ministry. There will be a continuing need for this as a maternity home and for teenage girls who can use this as a group care facility.

The contribution of our Baptist people through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving Offering and special gifts are essential to our continued operation and are received with deep appreciation. An increasing number of friends are finding rewarding stewardship opportunities through the establishment of trusts for the Homes and by means of wills and estate planning for the needs of dependent children.

It shall be the purpose of the Homes in the future, as in the past, to provide a strong child care and family service ministry in an effort to meet the needs of those who turn to us for assistance. Your continuing interest, prayers and support are essential to this vital ministry.

Respectfully submitted, Roy Rickman

31. The Baptist Hospital Report prepared by Bruce Bryant and the Homes for the Aging Report prepared by John Roper were spoken to by Rev. Cecil Frady and Calvin Knight.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

The distinctiveness of Baptist Hospital's ministry lies not alone in its care for charity patients, but also in the type of service it renders to all its patients, and to many other people throughout our state and nation and around the world.

As an academic Medical Center it is engaged in research and in education, as well as direct patient care. The ministry through research is far-reaching since new discoveries in medicine offer new hope to people everywhere. The educational ministry also extends around the world, since graduates of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine serve in 88 counties of North Carolina, in 47 states and the District of Columbia, and in 25 different countries. Alumni of the School of Pastoral Care serve in almost every state and in 39 other countries.

The quality of direct patient care provided at Baptist Hospital is distinct in at least two respects. First, it is a specialized type of medical care, provided for referral patients who have rare or complicated medical problems. Because of the highly-skilled specialists in almost every area of medicine, and the elaborate equipment available for diagnosis and treatment, we are able to provide the kind of care which is available only in a large medical center. Ours is one of only 108 such medical centers in the United States.

In addition to offering this kind of medical expertise, a second distinctive of our patient care is the Christian concern for the total person with all his needs. This spirit is found among physicians, nurses, aides, and other personnel throughout the Center. The Department of Pastoral Care seeks to

minister specifically to the spiritual and emotional needs of patients and their families.

Baptist Hospital does continue to serve patients who cannot pay for their hospital care. Even with the tightening of admission policies and procedures, only one person in twelve months--i.e., one in approximately 17,000 applications for admissions--was not helped. In 1971, charitable allowances amounting to $1,370,000 were issued to patients unable to pay in full. The Mother's Day Offering of $371,000 helped make this charity work possible.

The hospital takes pride in its record of charitable work, but would like to help our Baptist people to understand that there are other aspects of its work also which justify its existance as an institution of our Convention and make it worthy of the support of our churches.

The operating deficit has been eliminated and the hospital is now operating "in the black".

The new patient tower is being completed and some departments have already moved into the lower levels. Complete occupation should take place by January, 1973. One additional unit, a two story unit housing the emergency room and out-patient clinic, is scheduled to be completed by 1973. This will conclude the present development program.

Respectfully submitted, Bruce Bryant

HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

This has been the best year that we have ever had in our twenty-one years. The special Offering for the Homes and support through the Cooperative Program reflect an encouraging increase. Through these two vital sources, the Homes during the past year derived almost 30% of the total operating budget in the care of the residents and patients, with 20% coming from the offering, and 10% through the Cooperative Program. The most significant fact about this support from our Baptist people is that the majority of the residents in the Homes are persons with real financial needs, and these love gifts are used for their care. In fact, these gifts are a lifeline to the residents, and they could not be maintained without them. The greatest challenge to our Baptist people is to continue to increase the Special Offering from year to year, and thus keep pace with the needs of the residents who depend so greatly on it.

Our Baptist Homes now operate five resident Homes, with two located in Winston-Salem, and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. These Homes have a capacity for 162 residents. In addition, there is a Nursing Care Unit, located in Winston-Salem, with a capacity for 63 patients. In these Homes we specialize in tender loving care and do not know of any place this side of Heaven, and outside of one's home, where a person can receive more compassionate Christian care.

Of great significance during the past year, in May, was the dedication of the York Wing of the Nursing Care Unit. With this new addition, the Baptist Homes have been able to receive some few persons, on a limited basis only, directly as patients. The majority of the beds in the Nursing Care Unit are used for the residents of the five Homes, when nursing care becomes necessary. We are glad that the base of our operation has been broadened to include a ministry to the aging sick person, and we can only hope that we will move forward and be able to receive more patients in the years ahead.

Respectfully submitted, John Roper

32. Rev. M.I. Brock moved that the reports given during the morning session be received as information and adopted. The motion was seconded and adopted.

33. At this time Mr. Fred Corbin and Mr. Berlon Deal were asked to serve on the Place and Preacher Committee along with the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and Field Worker.

34. The group joined in the singing of "Amazing Grace".

35. Rev. Jim Crayton brought the Doctrinal Message entitled "Christ Crucified". His Scriptural basis was I Corinthians 1:23-24 and he enumerated on the topic that only those who have accepted Christ are the ones with wisdom and power.

36. Following Rev. Crayton's message, Rev. C. C. Welch made a few comments and Luther Osment asked Grace for the noon meal.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON - SEPTEMBER 8, 1972

37. The third session of the Macon Baptist Association Annual meeting opened with works of thanks to the Higdonville and Burningtown churches for the wonderful hospitality shown us during our sessions this year.

38. "To God Be the Glory" was led by Fred Corbin.

39. Rev. Smith of Mt. Hope Baptist Church was recognized for scripture reading and prayer.

40. The Truett Baptist Camp Report was prepared by Randall Frady and was received as information. Mr. Ralph Easterly gave a financial report for Truett Camp at this time.

TRUETT BAPTIST CAMP REPORT

Camp Truett embarked on a new phase of the camp program in the summer of 1972. The new phase began with the hiring of a full time camp director. This director lives in the George W. Truett home and is responsible for improvements and maintenance of the camp. His portion also includes the responsibility of a smooth-running camp, good sanitary conditions, adequate food supply and corresponsence during the off-season months. The man chosed for this position is Rev. Ralph Easterly, former pastor of the Tuckasegee Baptist Church of the Tuckasegee Baptist Association.

The Girls in Action and Royal Ambassadors weeks at Camp Truett were well attended with only one week in which the attendance fell below forty. Most weeks, campers numbered forty-four to fifty.

There were many decisions made during the summer at Camp Truett. The Camp Pastors spoke each night and challenged campers and counselors alike.

In addition to Rev. Easterly, the camp employed seven full time staff members. There were additional counselors for the RA weeks brought to the camp by the Brotherhood Department fo the N. C. State Baptist Convention.

There was another new addition to Camp Truett this summer. It was a one week Music Camp in which boys and girls, seventh grade and up, were in attendance. In addition to the three GA weeks, the three RA weeks, and the one week of music camp, Truett Camp was engaged by individual churches for a week or week end for retreats.

Respectfully submitted, Randall Frady

41. The Place and Preacher Report was presented by Rev. Cecil Frady.

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The meeting next year will be held with the Sugarfork Baptist Church for the night session and with the Highlands First Baptist Church for the day session.

The Rev. Glenn Whitley will deliver the Annual Sermon and the Rev. Gene Hawkins will bring the Doctrinal Sermon.

42. Rev. Cecil Frady gave an oral report for the Fruitland Baptist Assembly. He also spoke to the Report for Christian Higher Education prepared by Mrs. Charles Cabe.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

The Baptist colleges in North Carolina continue to be grateful for the vital financial support which comes through the Cooperative Program. Outside of student fees, the Cooperative Program is the largest financial source of annual income for our colleges. During the past year this amount was $1,924,000.00.

One way our churches can help relieve the financial burden of our schools is through participation in the Baptist College Scholarship Offering Day. Every year many of our churches provide student aid funds for needy North Carolina Baptist students by means of this special offering of Father's Day. Other churches prefer to include this as a regularly budgeted item.

Some of the highlights of the past year are:

The inclusive enrollment of the seven North Carolina Baptist colleges during the past academic year was 16,609.

Dr. John E. Weems became the sixth president of Meredith College. He was formerly Vice President of Finance and Administration of Middle Tennessee State University.

Gardner-Webb College received accreditation as a four-year college by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Seventy young men and women from the seven Baptist colleges worked in churches across North Carolina through the Baptist Youth Corps program. Their salaries are paid jointly by the colleges and the churches.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Charles Cabe.

43. The Vacation Bible School Report was prepared by Mrs. Jack Powell and spoken to by Rev. Cecil Frady.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

A report on VBS work cannot be complete at this time as all of the reports are not in. The reports which have come in have indicated a devotion on the part of the workers and a good quality of schools in the churches reporting.

At this time 15 churches have reported schools, one of which was at Ray's Chapel Church. Two churches used the summer worker and the Associational Youth Team helped in another school. An encouraging thing in this respect is that at least two churches which have previously used the summer worker are now having schools using entirely their own members. This is good, since this is the goal of the summer worker program.

No matter how good the schools are or how many we have in our Association, we must not be satisfied until we have reached every church with VBS for their people, adults where practical, as well as the boys and girls. Another place which needs serious attention in many of our schools is the follow-up on those who make decisions in the school.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Jack Powell

44. The Church Training Report was prepared and submitted by John W. Rogers.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

We have seen another Training Union year go by, and we thank God for the blessing that it has brought to our hearts. This year has been spent most of all by visiting from church to church, which we have enjoyed. We see the need more than ever before for Training Union in all our churches.

"M" Night was observed the first Monday night in November at the Wells Grove Baptist Church with over 200 in attendance. The Rev. Tim Norman brought a very inspiring message. Gold Mine Baptist Church took the attendance banner for the fourth year.

This year we have had the joy of starting a Training Union in Prentiss Baptist Church with the Rev. William Rice as their pastor.

We have forty-eight churches and only nineteen have a Training Union, so we see there is a great need in our association. Your Training Union officers can not do it alone, but with your help and prayers we will see great results in this coming year.

Respectfully submitted, John W. Rogers

45. The Seminary Extension Report was prepared by Mrs. Hyldah S. Shepherd.

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

The Enrollment for 1971 Seminary Extension Course was thirteen.

The teachers were the Rev. Robert L. Clegg, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Sylva, N. C. and the Rev. Charles L. Dean, Pastor of East Sylva Baptist Church, Sylva, N. C. The course taught was Old Testament 171, A Study of Job, taken from the Broadman Bible Commentary, Volume IV, and the Study Guide was by Marvin Tate.

This course was held at Franklin Center of the First Baptist Church.

These courses are most helpful to pastors, church officers, and others who help in any duties of church work. Please make an extra effort to attend these classes.

Respectfully submitted, Hyldah S. Shepherd

46. The Nominating Committee Report was presented by Rev. C. C. Welch, chairman, See Directory of Association for Officers.

47. At this time Rev. Jack King led in silent meditation honoring our deceased during the past year. The congregation bowed their heads in silent prayer as the names of our Beloved Dead were read.

IN MEMORIAM

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BETHEL HILL:
Mr. Clifford Passmore

BRIARTOWN:
Mr. Frank Dalrymple

BURNINGTOWN:
Mrs. Pearl Welch

CALVARY:
Mrs. Elizabeth Bradley

CARTOOGECHAYE:
Mr. Gene Williamson

COWEE:
Mr. Paul Potts
Mr. Jess Bryson

COWEETA:
Mrs. Ethel Styles
Miss Lizzie Holbrook
Mr. Charlie Wiggins

FRANKLIN, FIRST:
Mrs. Charles Mashburn
Mrs. Andy Gribble
Mrs. Carlos Gutierrey
Mr. Grover Jamison, Sr.
Mr. George Massey
Mr. Paul McCoy
Mr. Willie Stanfield

GOLD MINE:
Mrs. Josephine Watts

HIGDONVILLE:
Mrs. Georgia Higdon

HOLLY SPRINGS:
Mr. G.F. Crisp
Mrs. Nina Sutton

IOTLA:
Mrs. Dora Fouts
Mr. Malcolm Dewees

LIBERTY:
Miss Flora Shepherd
Mrs. Lillie Dalton

LONGVIEW:
Mr. Arthur Drake

MASHBURN BRANCH:
Mrs. Evalee Barrett

MT. HOPE:
Mrs. W.R. Waldroop
Mrs. J.L. Martin
Mr. Robert McCracken

NEWMANS CHAPEL:
Mr. Lester Norton

OAK GROVE:
Mrs. Ralph Welch

PRENTISS:
Mr. B. R. Ledford

RIDGECREST:
Mr. Carl Tippett
Miss Diane Clouse

ROSECREEK:
Mrs. Cora Welch
Mr. Jimmy Holden

SHORTOFF:
Mr. Dock Dalton

TELLICO:
Mr. Will Quinby
Mr. Floyd Ramsey

TESENTA:
Mr. John Smith, Deacon

WALNUT CREEK:
Mrs. Jane Tilson

WATAUGA:
Mr. Jim Raby
Mrs. Jim Raby
Mr. Buster Mashburn
Mrs. Martha Shuler
Mrs. G. A. Cloer

WELLS GROVE:
Mr. Bill Mason

48. The Historical Report was submitted by and spoken to by Miss Mae McCoy.

THE HISTORICAL REPORT

The annual session of Macon Baptist Association held in 1971 was not so well attended as many before had been, but it is one to be remembered for the truly fine Christian spirit manifested in all the business transactions in the reports given and in fellowship at the noon meal. The messages delivered were a challenge to all who profess the name of Christ.

The completion of a new building was the one outstanding task of Macon Baptist during the last year and the dedication of this building was perhaps the greatest event. Open-house followed the dedication service and many of our people saw and enjoyed what had seemed the impossible.

As a background concerning this task it seems appropriate to give some details of its beginnings and its progress.

In the late 1960's the Missions Committee developed the idea of trying to buy land, centrally located, and erecting a building that would provide ample space for the following: 1. An office for the Field Worker and storage space for all materials needed for carrying out an effective program as an Associationsl Missionsry. 2. Provide nice and comfortable living quarters for our Associational Field Worker and his family; 3. Provide a chapel where associational business meetings, etc. could be held. 4. When all a-fore-said needs had been met - build a sanctuary where Baptists could assemble for a county-wide revival.

Finally property, suitable and centrally located, required months of diligent searching and much inquiry. When a track was found the owner, Mrs. Paul West, was contacted as to the possibility of sale. Mrs. West consented to selling - a price was agreed upon and shortly all things were made ready for full transaction. By this time Mrs. West had fully decided that she would give this property, 1 58/10 acres, to Macon Baptist Association. The ones in charge of making this deal accepted this gift with thankful hearts. The good news was soon related.

Ground Breaking took place on April 7, 1971. The following people were present for the eventful occasion: Rev. Thomas Lane, then Moderator of Macon Baptist Association, Rev. Cecil Frady, Field Worker in Macon Association, Rev. Wiley Gibson, former Chairman of Missions Committee, Mrs. Betty Pendland, Treasurer of Macon Association, Rev. Earl Dendy, now Moderator of Macon Association, Mr. Goodlow Bowman, Contractor for graveling and excavating, and Claude Welch, Contractor for building of Baptist house.

It would be amiss if I failed to mention the name Rev. J.W. Myers, then pastor of Cowee Baptist Church, and also serving as Macon Associational Field Worker interim. He worked faithfully to strengthen all phases of church work in our association. Much progress toward our new building took place under his leadership. The land was secured, the plan for the building was drawn, the Blueprint was make, and much work on securing a street right-of-way. A member of Cowee Church, Gardner Holden, helped H.H. Plemmons survey the plot. H.H. Plemmons made the Blueprint - these two men did this work freely without pay.

On May 28, 1972 a program of dedication was given and many saw for the first time a beautiful building well furnished - To many all this had seemed the impossible.

The message of dedication was delivered by Dr. Howard Ford who is Superintendent of Missions for North Carolina Baptist State Convention. His message was indeed a challenge to our thinking and our stewardship toward supporting Associational Missions. Also a challenge to continue to plan whole-heartedly for Annual Associational Meetings where we can hear many interesting and informative reports about what Baptists are doing in our

county, our state, and our Southern Baptist Convention; when Christians fellowship together in Christian love; where we receive inspiration which can help churches and individuals keep Christ's Kingdom Work growing and glowing.

A feeling of sadness was prevalent at the time of dedication because of the absence of Rev. Cecil Frady who had worked so diligently, faithfully, and prayerfully in every way in preparation for such an eventful occasion. Illness had prevented him from attending.

A recording of the dedication program was made and is in the Associational Office.

Other Information:

White Oak Flats Baptist Church was greatly blessed this year. There were 120 baptized into the fellowship of this church, Rev. Carl Roper is pastor.

A county wide Youth Revival was held in the First Methodist Church of Franklin June 15-17 and in the First Baptist Church June 22-24. Rev. Charles Dean, pastor of East Sylva Baptist Church, delivered the messages at each of these services. Several exciting testamonies were also heard at these meetings.

Macon Association welcomes Rev. Bill Smith and his family from High Point, N. C. He has come to serve as pastor of Mt. Hope Church. Also Rev. Tim Norman from Sylva, N. C. who has come to serve as full time pastor at Longview.

On August 30, 1970 Rev. Tim Norman was ordained to the gospel ministry at Windy Gap Baptist Church in Macon County. Tim's father, Rev. Grady Norman of Sylva, N. C. is now, and was then, serving as full-time pastor of Windy Gap Church.

R v. J. W. Myers resigned as pastor at Cowee to accept Associational Missionary work in Swain and Graham Counties. He and his wife moved to their new home March 21, 1972 in Robinsville. Myers served as pastor of Cowee Church 4 1/2 years, and served as Interim Associational Missionary in Macon Association two different times and served on the Board of the Baptist State Convention. He will be missed by Macon Association.

Wells Grove Baptist Church has recently completed their New Sanctuary. A program of dedication has also been rendered. Rev. Jud Duvall is pastor. Oak Grove has called Rev. Ernie Sanders as pastor. Oak Dale has called Rev. Howard Willis, Briartown - Rev. Johnny Raby.

Church building improvements and grounds: Gold Mine added one Sunday School room and paved parking lot. Rev. Bill Shields is pastor. Oak Grove has paved parking lot and painted church outside. Ellijay has painted both inside and outside - Rev. Gene Hawkins is pastor. Walnut Creek has paved its church parking lot, Rev. W. K. Shields is pastor. Watauga has paved parking lot, Rev. J. S. Cunningham is pastor.

Churches without pastors as of this writing: Ellijay, Calvary, Cowee, and Prentiss.

God has blessed Macon Baptist in a marvelous way this year and we should praise his name unceasingly.

All churches are making history whether it be good and great or not so good. May the work of next year in our churches be good, great and exciting because of the working of the Holy Spirit in the hearts of people. It can be done.

Respectfully submitted, May McCoy, Historian

49. Miss Mae McCoy moved the adoptions of all reports presented during the Friday session of the annual meeting. The motion carried.

50. Mr. Fred Corbin led the congregation in singing "Rescue the Perishing".

51. Following the singing, Rev. Alton Dendy brought the Inspirational Message. The Scriptural basis was John 5 and concerned the invalid at the Bethesda pool.

52. After Rev. Dendy's message, the Associational officers for 1972-73 were installed. Each officer was challenged to do the work of his office for the glory of the Lord.

53. The congregation joined together in singing "Blest Be the Tie" and the Benediction was delivered by Rev. Billy Smith. Adjournment came at 2:40 p. m.

Rev. Earl Dendy, Moderator
Mrs. Linda Cabe, Clerk Protem

Statistical Tables

Table A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Clerk Mrs. Ruth Hess

Address Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (Include Zip Code)	County	1 Year organized as a Church	2 Location (1-Open Country 2-Village (under 500) 3-Town (500-2,499) 4-Small City 2500-10,000 5-Medium City (10,000-49,999) Key: 5-Downtown 6-Neighborhood 7-Suburban (Large 50,000+) 8-Downtown 9-Neighborhood 0-Suburban)	3 Services held twice on Sun.? Y	3 Services held twice on Sun.? N	4 Total Baptisms	5 Other additions (by letter, statement)	6 Members lost (by letter, statement)	7 Present resident members	8 Present non-resident members	9 Grand total present members	10 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	11 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	16 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	17 Value of church property including pastor's home	18 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Bethel Hill	Ralph Postell, Star Rt., Topton 28781	Macon	1954	1 Open Country	yes		0	4	5	55	23	78	0	0	$ 0	$ 6,000	$ 309
Black Mountain		"	1863	1 Open Country	no		9	6	6	77	167	244	0	0	0	20,000	0
Briartown	John Raby, Star Route, Topton 28781	"	1910	1 Open Country	yes		2	1	2			173	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	Andrew Cloer, Rt. 6, Box 463, Franklin 28734	"	1839	1 Open Country	no		3	3	4	128	57	185	0	0	0	35,000	0
Burningtown	C. C. Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	"	1944	1 Open Country	no		2	1	4	47	19	66	0	0	0	8,000	0
Calvary	Open	"															
Cartoogechaye	Jack King, 200 Grandview Cir., Waynesville	"	1835	1 Open Country	yes		14	1	3	124	120	244	0	0	0	35,000	0
Clear Creek	Otis Gragg, Mountain City, Ga. 30537	"	1879	1 Open Country	no		4	0	1	68	44	112	0	0	0	40,000	0
Cowee	Glen Whitley, Rt. 7, Box 1111, Franklin 28734	"	1828	1 Open Country	yes		1	2	11	258	88	346	0	0	8,500	119,988	17,362
Coweeta	Carl Sheffield, Rt. 1, Box 14, Otto 28763	"	1831	1 Open Country	yes		0	1	4	122	54	176	0	0	0	20,000	0
Ellijay		"															
Fairview		"															
Flats	Inactive	"															
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1961	1 Open Country	no		0	2	0	54	3	57	0	0	0	12,000	2,170
Franklin, 1st	W. T. Lane, 67 White Oak St., Franklin 28734	"	1822	4 Small City	yes		3	21	26	563	232	795	1	2	14,500	451,000	43,000
Franklin, West	Dan Stiles, White Oak St., Franklin 28734	"	1961	1 Open Country	yes		6	2	5	113	6	119	0	2	0	40,000	1,011
Gold Mine	W. K. Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1861	1 Open Country	no		6	2	1	79	53	132	0	0	0	0	0
Higdonville	Gene Hawkins, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	"	1950	1 Open Country	no		4	0	4	77	23	100	0	0	0	0	13,000
Highlands, 1st	Harvey L. Stewart, P.O. Box 625, Highlands	"	1896	3 Town	yes		1	6	5	342	156	498	0	0	15,000	150,000	0
Holly Springs	Judson Hall, Rt. 7, Box 400, Franklin 28734	"	1914	1 Open Country	yes		3	3	5	185	35	220	0	0	14,000	85,000	0
Iotla	M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Box 247, Franklin 28734	"	1903	1 Open Country	yes		12	9	9	342	112	454	0	0	35,000	100,000	0
Kettle Rock	Inactive	"															
Liberty	Clyde Collins, Rt. 1, Sylva 28779	"	1874	1 Open Country	yes		11	5	10	199	130	329	1	0	0	21,000	0
Longview	Tim Norman, Rt. 2, Box 370, Franklin 28734	"	1942	1 Open Country	yes		16	5	4	147	77	224	0	0	0	50,000	0
Mashburn Branch	Alton Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"	1952	1 Open Country	no		4	0	1	95	4	99	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Billy Smith, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1886	1 Open Country	yes		8	13	22	165	104	260	0	7	18,000	40,000	0
Mountain Grove	Judson Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1906	1 Open Country	no		0	0	1	15	15	30	0	1		2,000	0
Nantahala #2	Ralph Postell, Andrews, 28901	"	1942	1 Open Country	no		2	9	1	52	26	78	0	0	0	0	0
Newman's Chpl.	Earl Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"	1920	1 Open Country	yes		7	0	1	161	10	171	0	0	0	25,000	0
Oak Dale	Howard Willis, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1 Open Country	no		1	9	4	64	59	123	2	0	0	30,000	0
Oak Grove	Ernie Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 498, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1 Open Country	yes		2	4	7	199	78	277	0	0	0	14,500	0
Pine Grove	Alton Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	"		1 Open Country	no		2	4	4	74	139	213	0	0	0	20,000	0
Pleasant Hill	Wallace Tallent, Franklin 28734	"	1888	1 Open Country	no		5	8	4	183	144	327	0	0	0	15,000	0
Prentiss	William Rice, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1914	1 Open Country	no		3	1	3	70	65	135	0	0	0	12,500	0
Ridgecrest	Guy Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 294, Franklin 28734	"	1925	1 Open Country	yes		5	5	6	134	113	247	0	1	0	35,000	914
Rose Creek	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	"	1922	1 Open Country	yes		5	6	2	20	20	40	0	0	0	0	0
Shortoff	Mack Reed, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga	"	1935	1 Open Country	no		0	4	5	72	65	137	0	0	0	30,000	0
Sugar Fork	James Crayton, Rt. 5, Box 132, Franklin	"	1836	1 Open Country	yes		0	3	4	160	47	207	0	0	0	16,000	400
Tellico	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	"	1884	1 Open Country	no		0	1	6	70	102	172	0	2	0	5,000	0
Tesenta	Bruce Kelley, Greenville, S. C.	"	1880	1 Open Country	yes		0	0	2	11	21	32	0	0		100	0
Union Hill	S. J. Waters, Star Route, Topton 28781	"	1892	1 Open Country	no		1	0	5	48	60	108	0	1		6,300	0
Walnut Creek	Bill Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1951	1 Open Country	yes		0	0	2	23	34	57	0	0	0		0
Watanga	J. S. Cunningham, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1886	1 Open Country	yes		6	5	9	136	121	257	0	0	0	40,000	0
Wells Grove	Jud Duvall, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734		1927	1 Open Country	no		9	18	2	90	38	128	0	0	0	25,000	0
West Union	Judson Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	"	1962	1 Open Country	no		0			28	5	33	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak Flats	Carl Roper, Topton 28781	"	1901	1 Open Country	no		45	0	20	93	127	220	0	0	0	0	0
Windy Gap	Grady Norman, 11 Dillardtown Rd., Sylva	"	1949	1 Open Country	yes		2	1	2	100	43	143	0	0	0	30,000	0
- 30 -	TOTALS				22y	204	165	222	5,043	2,839	8,046	4	16	$105,000	$1,539,388	$78,166	

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Association MACON Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Sunday School Director Mr. Verlin Curtis

Address Baird Cove Rd., Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	45 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under not in school)	46 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	47 Youth enrol. (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	48 Young Adult enrol (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 yrs)	49 Adult enrol. (30-59 yrs. or 30 to retirement)	50 Senior Adult enrol (60 to retirement & over)	51 Adults Away enrolment	52 Homebound Units enrolment	53 General officers enrolment	54 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	55 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	56 Average weekly S.S. attendance	57 No. Bible Study Fellowship Class	57 Bible Study Fellowship enrol.	58 Bible Conference projects enrol.	59 Weekday Bible study enrolment	60 Church V. B. S. enrolment	60 Mission V.B.S. enrolment	60 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Bethel Hill	Mr. James Morgan, Topton 28781	6	10	18	10	30	4	0	0	0	0	78	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain																				
Briartown	Mr. Joe Cochran, Star Route, Topton 28781	7	6	16	4	20	16	0	0	8	0	76	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	Mr. Glenn Holland, Rt. 5, Highlands 28741	0	20	20	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	65	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burningtown	Mr. Bob Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	7	10	14	12	25	10	0	0	8	0	86	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Mr. Randall Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	4	4	6	4	18	4	0	0	0	0	40	30	0	0	0	0	37	0	37
Cartoogechaye	Mr. Gene Huscusson, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	7	10	16	28	15	19	0	0	0	0	95	95	1	15	0	0	40	0	40
Clear Creek	Mr. Walter Wilson, Rt. 2, Highlands 28141	2	1	5	5	13	10	0	0	3	0	36	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	Mr. Ralph Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	13	32	33	21	60	39	0	0	3	0	201	116	1	15	0	1	64	0	64
Coweeta	Mr. Claude Curtis, Rt. 1, Otto 28763	7	6	6	13	23	5	2	0	16	0	78	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ellijay																				
Fairview																				
Flats																				
Franklin, East	Mr. Roy Collier, 98 White Oak St., Franklin 28734	3	5	4	0	7	1	0	0	1	0	21	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	J. C. Jacobs, Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734	39	71	58	102	64	80	0	0	5	0	419	200	0	0	0	0	126	0	126
Franklin, West	Fred Farmer, 137 Palmer St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	33
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Box 775, Franklin 28734	6	9	11	18	13	15	0	0	0	0	72	53	0	0	18	0	38	0	38
Higdonville	Bill Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	9	5	9	6	36	10	0	0	0	0	75	43	0	0	0	0	26	0	26
Highlands, 1st	Glenn A. Shuler, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	17	35	35	15	44		0	0	4	0	150	69	0	0	0	0	56	0	56
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48A, Lakeside Dr., Franklin 28734	9	15	10	8	30	21	0	0	3	0	96	80	0	0	0	0	39	0	39
Iotla	Bill Houston, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	6	22	44	31	25	21	0	0	3	0	152	93	0	0	0	0	66	0	66
Kettle Rock																				
Liberty	Dennis Freeman, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	16	18	30	10	50	10	0	4	14	0	152	98	0	0	0	0	59	0	59
Longview	Henry Cabe, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	10	12	39	17	27	36	0	0	0	0	141	70	0	0	0	0	66	0	66
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	8	8	10	15	15	28	0	0	0	0	84	0	0	0	0	0	57	0	57
Mt. Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10	22	16	15	30	12	0	0	13	0	118	66	0	0	0	0	73	0	73
Mountain Grove	Frank Dills, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	1	4	2	2	9	0	0	3	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nantahala #2	Rev. Doyce Waters, Star Rt., Topton 28781	8	4	6	8	13	8	0	0	0	0	47	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newman's Chapel	Charles Long, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	10	10	14	18	25	40	10	0	2	0	129	68	0	0	0	30	65	0	65
Oak Dale	David Allen, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	7	9	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	49	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Ed Guy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	10	5	9	13	28	20	0	0	0	0	85	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	3	10	10	16	30	0	0	0	2	0	71	46	1	15	0	0	37	0	37
Pleasant Hill	Dale McConnell, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	12	12	25	40	6	0	0	0	0	100	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss	Harry Brabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	7	11	11	5	25	13	0	0	5	0	77	47	0	0	0	0	32	0	32
Ridgecrest	Eugene Pickens, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	8	19	7	7	27	10	0	0	3	0	81	56	1	20	0	0	43	0	43
Rose Creek		0	10	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	40	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short Off	Gordon Talley, Highlands 28741	7	9	6	2	18	10	0	0	0	0	52	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sugar Fork	Alex Deal, Rt. 7, Box 370, Franklin 28734	21	10	13	23	35	0	0	0	0	0	102	87	0	0	0	0	56	0	56
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	3	7	2	1	15	9	0	0	4	0	41	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tesentee	John Brown, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Hill	Arnold Passmore, Star Rt., Topton 28781	2	11	14	0	16	0	0	0	5	0	48	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	2	10	0	10	0	0	0	5	0	27	23	0	0	0	0	18	4	22
Watauga	Rev. Paul Morgan, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	17	8	12	25	25	9	0	0	9	0	105	75	0	0	0	0	83	0	83
Wells Grove	Cliff Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	7	12	15	24	30	15	0	0	2	0	105	79	0	0	0	0	55	0	55
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	8	10	3	11	7	0	0	0	0	44	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak Flats	David Solesbee, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Windy Gap	Edgar Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	8	5	7	29	20	11	4	7	5	0	96	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	307	482	586	535	988	508	16	11	126	0	3,735	2,228	4	65	18	31	1,169	4	1,173

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Training Union Director Mr. John Rogers

Address Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	61 Preschool enrol. (5 years & under-not in school)	62 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	63 Youth enrolment (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	64 Young Adult enrol. (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 yrs.	65 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	66 Senior Adult enrol. (60 and over or retirement & over)	67 General officers enrolment	68 Enrolment of missions(s) of church	69 Total ongoing T.U. enrolment	70 Average weekly T.U. attendance	71 New Member Orientation Registration	71 New Member Orientation Completed	72 Church Leader Training Registration	72 Church Leader Training Completed	73 Member Training Projects Registration	73 Member Training Projects Completed
Bethel Hill																	
Black Mountain																	
Briartown																	
Buck Creek																	
Burningtown																	
Calvary	Clara Jo Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	6	5	0	10	3	6	0	30	15						
Cartoogechaye	Jack Randall, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	6	4	9	12	10	0	0	41	30						
Clear Creek																	
Cowee		6	12	27	0	15	13	2	0	75	44						
Coweeta	Larry Shope, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	3	6	5	4	11	2	6	0	37	18						
Ellijay																	
Fairview																	
Flats																	
Franklin, East		0	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	6	6						
Franklin, First																	
Franklin, West	Juanita Cocran, 32 Curtis St., Franklin 28734																
Gold Mine	Larry Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	3	3	7	13	4	5	0	0	35	26						
Higdonville	Victor Teague, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	5	4	6	0	12	4	0	0	31	18						
Highlands, First																	
Holly Springs	Bob Johnson, Franklin 28734	4	4	5	3	13	4	2	0	35	21						
Iotla	Doris Lynch, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	19	0	32	0	4	0	55	15						
Kettle Rock																	
Liberty	Vaughn Shepherd, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	6	7	15	5	20	5	6	0	64	47	0	0	0	0	10	10
Longview	Linda Frady, Iotla St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	25						
Mashburn Branch	Howard Mincey, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	1	5	14	7	12	0	2	0	41	0						
Mt. Hope	Richard Burnette, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	10	6	1	10	5	6	0	38	21						
Mountain Grove		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	18						
Nantahala #2																	
Newman's Chapel	Weaver Fox, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga.30537	3	6	5	3	14	0	3	0	34	22						
Oak Dale																	
Oak Grove	Willard Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	14	18	0	0	0	32	20						
Pine Grove																	
Pleasant Hill																	
Prentiss	Katie Shope, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	5	10	1	10	0	0	0	31	27						
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Edward Crawford, Rt. 7, Box 562, Franklin 28734	4	8	12	7	14	4	1	0	50	28						
Rose Creek																	
Short Off																	
Sugar Fork																	
Tellico																	
Tesentee																	
Union Hill																	
Walnut Creek																	
Watauga	Allen Mashburn, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	5	6	4	7	12	2	7	0	43	36						
Wells Grove	Don Francisco, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	10	8	0	18	0	0	0	36	30						
West Union																	
White Oak Flats																	
Windy Gap																	
- 32 -	TOTALS	45	99	152	74	242	57	45	0	721	467	0	0	0	0	10	10

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC

Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director Mr. John Johnson

Address Hemlock Hills, Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	74 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under not in school)	75 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 General officers enrolment	79 Enrolment of mission(s) of Church	80 Total church music enrolment	81 Average weekly church music attendance	82 Handbell ringers enrolment	83 Vocal ensemble enrolment	84 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	85 Church music study group enrolment
Bethel Hill	Lauretta Day, Star Route, Topton 28781												
Black Mountain													
Briartown	John Roby, Star Route, Topton 28781												
Buck Creek													
Burningtown	Mrs. Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	4	10	4	8	2	0	28	15				
Calvary													
Cartoogechaye	Steve Reeves, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734												
Clear Creek	Dolly McCall, Rt. 2, Box 63, Highlands 28741												
Cowee	John Johnson, Hemlock Dr., Franklin 28734	0	15	15	18	7	0	55	20				
Coweeta	Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Box 25, Otto 28763												
Ellijay													
Fairview													
Flats													
Franklin, East													
Franklin, First	Orville Wike, Cullowhee 28723	0	20	20	30	2	0	72	50				
Franklin, West													
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Box 775, Franklin 28734	2	4	6	5	1	0	18	10				
Higdonville	Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734												
Highlands, First	Mrs. Sammie Houston, P.O. Box 164, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	8				
Holly Springs	Mrs. Earl Justice, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	11	7	24	2	0	44	8				
Iotla	Mrs. John Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 881, Franklin 28734	0	0	16	12	3	0	31	16				
Kettle Rock													
Liberty	Mrs. Roy Jones, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	5	20	10	15	4	0	54					25
Longview	Zeb Hall, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734												
Mashburn Branch	Dale Barrett, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734												
Mount Hope	Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734												
Mountain Grove	Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734												
Nantahala #2													
Newman's Chapel													
Oak Dale	Ruth Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734												
Oak Grove	Mrs. Luetta Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734												
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734												
Pleasant Hill													
Prentiss	Teresa Brendle, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734												
Ridgecrest	Howell Smith, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	3	4	5	3	0	15	10				
Rose Creek													
Short Off	Vic Wood, Rt. 1, Highlands 38741												
Sugar Fork													
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734												
Tesentee													
Union Hill	Oscar Passmore												
Walnut Creek													
Watauga	Mrs. Troy Ledford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	5	5	10	4	0	24	18				
Wells Grove	Jay Jennings, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	3	10	10	12	3	0	38	15				
West Union													
White Oak Flats	Dwight Waters, Topton 28781												
Windy Gap	Blance Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	1	3	4	8	3	0	19	12				
TOTALS		15	101	101	162	34	0	413	182	0	0	0	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Minnie Berry

Address Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES Zipe Code	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
		Number of Organization								Enrolment						
		Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women(18-29yrs H.S. grads-24yrs	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total no. of organizations	Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women(18-29yrs H.S. grads-24yrs	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU enrolment
Bethel Hill																
Black Mountain																
Briartown																
Buck Creek																
Burningtown																
Calvary																
Cartoogechaye	Genevieve Arrant, P. O. Box 536, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	6
Clear Creek																
Cowee	Mrs. Roy Rickman, 92 Goldview Dr., Franklin 28734	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	9	10	0	22	6	0	47
Coweeta	Mrs. Gene Bateman, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10	4	0	14
Ellijay																
Fairview																
Flats																
Franklin, East																
Franklin, First	Mrs. Arvel Parker, Hurst Circle, Franklin 28734	1	2	0	1	3	0	7	12	18	0	24	47	6	0	107
Franklin, West	Mrs. Louis Cochran, 32 Curtis St., Franklin 28734	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	6	0	0	6	2	0	14
Gold Mine																
Higdonville																
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Penland, P.O. Box 999, Highlands 28741	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	33	8	0	22	13	0	76
Holly Springs	Meredith Sage, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	2	0	11
Iotla	Mrs. M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Box 247, Franklin 28734	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	10	10	0	0	18	11	0	49
Kettle Rock																
Liberty																
Longview	Mrs. Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch																
Mt. Hope	Mrs. Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	3	3	14
Mountain Grove																
Nantahala #2																
Newman's Chapel																
Oak Dale																
Oak Grove																
Pine Grove																
Pleasant Hill																
Prentiss																
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Jeter Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	3	0	5	0	7	2	0	17
Rose Creek																
Short Off																
Sugar Fork																
Tellico																
Tesentee																
Union Hill																
Walnut Creek																
Watauga																
Wells Grove																
West Union																
White Oak Flats																
Windy Gap																
- 34 -	TOTALS	3	6	3	2	11	0	30	25	76	23	27	155	49	0	355

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Brotherhood Director Mr. Gene Collett

Address Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	101 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	102 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	103 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	104 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	105 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	106 General officers enrolment	107 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	108 Total Brotherhood enrolment
Bethel Hill Black Mountain Briartown Buck Creek Burningtown Calvary									
Cartoogechaye Clear Creek Cowee Coweeta Ellijay Fairview	Jack Dillard, Wilkie St., Franklin 28734	7	9	0	20	0	2	0	38
Flats Franklin, East Franklin, First Franklin, West Gold Mine	Harold Moore, Hemlock Hills, Franklin 28734 Robert Hubbs, Baird Cove Rd., Franklin 28734	0 0	0 5	0 0	0 6	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 11
Higdonville Highlands, First Holly Springs Iotla Kettle Rock									
Liberty Longview Mashburn Branch Mt. Hope Mountain Grove									
Nantahala #2 Newman's Chapel Oak Dale Oak Grove Pine Grove									
Pleasant Hill Prentiss Ridgecrest Rose Creek Shortoff	J. B. Snyder, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	1	6	0	6	0	2	0	15
Sugar Fork Tellico Tesenta Union Hill Walnut Creek									
Watauga Wells Grove West Union White Oak Flats Windy Gap									
- 35 -	TOTALS	8	20	0	32	0	4	0	64

Table G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Treasurer Mrs. Betty Penland

Address Iotla Rd., Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES Zipe Code	12	13			14	15	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117
		Number of tithers	Budget prom. or emphasis used during year: None	Forward Program	Other	Coop. Prog. goal as % of Total Budget	Assoc. missions goal % total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Bethel Hill	Mrs. Carlene Grant, Star Rt., Box 311, Topton 28781	0	x			0	0	$ 2,200	$ 0	$ 2,200	$ 0	$ 475	$ 1,208	$ 0	$ 201	$ 1,884
Black Mountain																
Briartown	Mr. Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt., Box 293, Topton 28781	2	x			0	0	4,710	0	4,710	0	1,624	1,160	0	590	3,374
Buck Creek	Mr. Floy Icenhower, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	x			0	0	1,069	0	1,069	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burningtown	Mr. Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	30	x			10	2	6,224	0	6,224	0	2,100	0	0	2,297	4,397
Calvary	Mr. Ray Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	6	x			2	1.5	4,065	0	4,065	0	2,625	483	0	716	3,824
Cartoogechaye	Mr. J. D. Dayton, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	16,182	0	16,182	0	6,517	1,638	0	1,811	9,966
Clear Creek	Mr. Griffin Hicks, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	4	x			0	0	2,783	0	2,783	0	1,088	0	0	621	1,709
Cowee	Mr. John Roper, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	35			x	4.4	3.2	24,751	0	24,751	0	5,450	1,871	6,274	8,272	21,867
Coweeta	Mr. Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Box 25, Otto 28763	5	x			2	2	3,040	0	3,040	0	1,500	300	0	2,107	3,907
Ellijay																
Fairview																
Flats																
Franklin, East	Mayer Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3	x			0	0	2,785	0	2,785	0	1,300	0	700	2,750	4,750
Franklin, 1st	Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734	80			x	20	3	75,216	600	75,816	0	24,000	0	22,500	14,500	61,000
Franklin, West	Mrs. Fred Farmer, 137 Palmer Dr., Franklin 28734	12	x			5	2	6,939	0	6,939	1,200	3,780	0	161	1,780	6,921
Gold Mine	Mrs. Gerstle Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	x			0	0	4,020	0	4,020	0	1,032	1,847	0	1,070	3,949
Higdonville	Mr. Grayson Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x			20	0	5,763	1,437	7,200	0	1,800	1,811	0	2,575	6,186
Highlands, 1st	Mrs. Edna Crisp, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741		x			8	4	23,936	0	23,936	0	7,790	0	3,601	7,318	18,709
Holly Springs	Mr. Paul Ammons, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	x			5	4	11,033	4,500	15,533	0	4,410	705	0	2,509	7,624
Iotla	Mr. Melvin Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	30				10	0	18,160	0	18,160	0	4,860	0	5,159	7,150	17,169
Kettle Rock																
Liberty	Miss Cecell Gibson, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	12	x			0	0	10,394	0	10,394	0	6,203	472	0	1,660	8,335
Longview	Mr. Zeb Guffie, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	14,051	0	14,051	0	5,740	0	0	2,103	7,843
Mashburn Br.	Y. L. Holland, Rt. 6, Box 986, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	5,278	0	5,278	0	3,043	1,225	0	1,797	6,065
Mt. Hope	Mrs. W. N. Dalrymple, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	x			10	0	13,536	0	13,536	0	1,922	0	0	8,805	10,722
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Annabelle Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0			x	0	0	0	0	0	0	440	0	0	91	531
Nantahala #2	Mrs. Willa Mae Jacobs, Aquone 28703	0	x			0	0	1,409	0	1,409	0	0	0	0	369	369
Newman's Chpl.	Robert Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	21		x	x	10	10	7,158	0	7,158	0	4,294	0	0	2,173	6,467
Oak Dale	George Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	5	3,098	0	3,098	0	1,380	0	0	880	2,260
Oak Grove	Rosa Lee Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	15	x			10	0	0	0	7,230	0	3,255	0	0	2,709	5,964
Pine Grove	Miss Barbara Holland, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	4,745	0	4,745	0	2,600	0	0	1,149	3,749
Pleasant Hill	Rebecca Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	15	x			0	0	7,697	0	7,697	0	3,152	2,500	0	1,054	6,706
Prentiss	Estelle Shook, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	6	x			0	0	4,861	7	4,868	0	2,750	0	0	958	3,708
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	15	x			0	0	9,597	0	9,597	1,200	3,620	1,306	776	1,764	7,466
Rose Creek	G. B. McCall, Rt. 4, Box 169, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short Off	Harris Elmore, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	x			0	0	4,436	0	4,436	0	1,142	1,295	0	1,381	3,818
Sugar Fork	Miss Marie Jennings, 69 Baird Cove Rd., Franklin	0	x			0	0	15,957	41	15,998	1,200	4,969	9,376	881	1,290	16,516
Tellico	Eva Mae Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0	x			10	0	1,136	0	1,136	0	863	0	0	575	1,438
Tesentee	Oscar Carpenter, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	0	x			0	0	1,010	0	1,010	0	586	450	0	490	1,526
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Box 456, Franklin 28734	1	x			0	0	1,442	732	2,174	750	870	1,342	0	333	2,545
Watauga	Jim Hedden, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	20	x			0	0	22,243	0	22,243	0	3,300	4,800	0	1,770	9,870
Wells Grove	Jackie Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	10	x			0	0	14,333	146	14,479	23,182	2,220	41,367	0	1,464	45,051
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	0	0	0	0	386	0	0	252	638
White Oak Flats	Lillian Waters, Topton 28781	0	x			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Windy Gap	Mrs. Grady Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 53, Franklin 28734	9	x			0	0	2,832	1,835	4,667	0	1,200	0	0	235	1,435
	TOTALS	331						$358,089	$8,372	$374,617	$26,782	$124,286	$75,156	$40,052	$89,569	$330,261

Table H MISSION EXPENDITURES

Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary) Rev. Cecil Frady

Address Franklin, North Carolina 28734

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	118 Church Sponsored Missions: Money paid out on new construction during yr.	119 Church Sponsored Missions: All other church sponsored mission exp.	120 Church Sponsored Missions: Total church sponsored mission exp.	121 Cooperative Program	122 Associational missions program	123 Designated: State Missions	124 Other Mission Cause Expenditur: Designated: SBC Home Missions (A. Armstrong Easter Offering)	125 Designated: SBC Foreign Mission (Lottie Moon Christmas Off.)	126 Designated: Christian Ed. (schools, etc.)	127 Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	128 Designated: Hospitals	129 Designated: Homes for the Aged	130 Designated: All other (Bible Soc. Temperance League, etc.)	131 Total other mission cause expenditures	132 Grand Total Mission expenditures
Bethel Hill	Jerry Owenby, SR, Box 110, Topton 28781	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 40	$ 40	$ 0	$ 0	$ 80	$ 80
Black Mountain																
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, SR, Box 293, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	104	110	30	0	284	284
Buck Creek	Mrs. Mildred Vaughn, Rt. 1, Box 89, Highlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	25	0	0	49	49
Burningtown	Bill Simonds, Rt. 3, Box 584, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	613	143				15	73	27	6	0	264	877
Calvary	Mrs. Grace Brown, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	40	55	25	0	30	0	88	35	35	0	268	308
Cartoogechaye	Mrs. Genevieve Arraret, P.O. Box 536, Franklin	0	0	0	571	500	0	0	466	0	404	292	50	1,339	3,051	3,622
Clear Creek	Mrs. E. J. Chastain, Shortoff Rd., Highlands	0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	91	60	33	0	264	264
Cowee	Mrs. Raymond Womack, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,077	783	100	281	1,014	0	34	49	19	706	2,986	4,063
Coweeta	Mrs. James Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	225	75	0	0	15	0	75	75	0	0	240	465
Ellijay																
Fairview																
Flats																
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Box 1105, Franklin	0	0	0	0	52	0	0	0	0	25	0	10	0	87	87
Franklin, First	Mrs. Ken Ledford, Rt. 6, Box 1327, Franklin	0	0	0	8,107	2,000	281	818	1,616	0	427	282	20	255	5,699	13,806
Franklin, West	Mrs. Leslie McDonald, 33 Green, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	316	120	14	15	100	0	100	11	8	0	368	684
Gold Mine	Larry Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	100	60	25	50	85	0	100	85	50	125	580	680
Higdonville	Mrs. Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Box 700, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	845	240	0	0	81	0	44	91	0	0	455	1,301
Highlands, 1st	Louis E. Potts, P.O. Box 366, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	1,320	724	175	303	650	0	375	130	54	100	2,511	3,831
Holly Springs	Nobel Garrett, 36 Hillside, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	463	364	90	144	315	0	90	99	102	0	1,204	1,667
Iotla	Mrs. J.H. Williams, Rt. 3, Box 924, Franklin	0	0	0	1,251	540	82	86	257	0	0	22	5	0	992	2,243
Kettle Rock																
Liberty	Mrs. Sue McConnell, Rt. 4, Box 626, Franklin	0	0	0	60	200	51	59	0	0	0	78	0	85	473	533
Longview	Zeb Guffie, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	800	420	0	265	550	0	138	150	0	0	1,523	2,323
Mashburn Branch	Mrs. Sara Belle Angel, Rt. 6, Box 978, Franklin	0	0	0	56	100	20	0	0	0	125	89	0	0	334	390
Mt. Hope	Mrs. George Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin	0	0	0	1,152	562	72	175	225	100	225	50	0	140	1,549	2,701
Mountain Grove	Mrs. Maude Williams, Rt. 5, Box 858, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	8	6	0	24	24
Nantahala #2	Mrs. Willa Mae Jacobs, Aquone 28703	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	32	0	62	62
Newman's Cpl.	W. D. Long, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	1,025	120	120	0	542	94	0	208	181	0	0	1,145	1,265
Oak Dale	George Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91	66	0	0	157	157
Oak Grove	Mrs. Rozell McCoy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	618	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	52	189	807
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	48	0	0	0	0	69	0	0	72	189	189
Pleasant Hill	Douglas Mason, Rt. 2, Box 1115, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	140	0	0	140	140
Prentiss	Betty Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	50	36	0	24	50	0	50	36	50	0	246	296
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Ed Crawford, Rt. 7, Box 562, Franklin	0	0	0	101	404	36	55	35	0	50	35	15	0	630	731
Rose Creek	Mrs. Della Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	46	96	96
Shortoff	James Lowe, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	72	167	0	0	0	0	70	0	0	0	237	309
Sugar Fork	De Witt Thompson, Rt. 5, Box 140, Franklin	0	0	0	65	142	0	0	122	0	126	116	25	0	531	596
Tellico	John Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	90	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	0	0	28	118
Tesentee	John Brown, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, SR, Box 328, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Elmira Hedden, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	32	20	0	0	0	0	20	30	0	0	70	102
Watauga	Mrs. Ralph Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin	0	0	0	0	60	230	0	100	0	308	350	225	386	1,659	1,659
Wells Grove	Miss Elaine Long, Rt. 6, Box 1108, Franklin	0	0	0	120	127	0	0	0	0	107	120	0	0	354	474
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	15	0	0	29	29
White Oak Flats	Wade Wright, Box 4, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	148	0	0	0	148	148
Windy Gap	Mrs. Paul Smith, 113 Mashburn St., Franklin	0	0	0	100	60	0	240	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	400
	TOTALS	0	0	$1,025	$18,364	$8,297	$1,201	$3,057	$5,845	$115	$3,925	$2,936	$817	$3,306	$29,815	$47,790

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

Year Ending June 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Moderator Rev. Earl Dendy

Address Rt. 1, Highlands, NorthCarolina 28741

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES	19 No. church-type missions started	20 No. church-type missions operating	21 No. other-type missions started	22 No. other type missions operating	23 Committees existing during year: Public Relations	24 Stewardship	25 Radio & TV	26 Missions	27 Christian Higher Educ.	28 Does church have or observe? Radio and TV Sunday	29 Library	30 Recreation Staff	31 Witness Training (WIN)	32 Christian Home Week	33 Ministry to the Deaf	34 State paper in Budget	35 Ch. Council/ Cabinet	36 Bus Ministry	37 Baptist Seminaries, Colleges, & Schools Day	38 Does church plan major building prog. this year? Y	N	39 No. college students baptized	40 No. ordained for Gospel this year	41 Training Union meeting time AM	PM	42 No of active Deacons	43 Kindergarten enrolment	44 Day Care enrolment
Bethel Hill	None																					x	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Black Mountain						x																x				x	9	0	0
Briartown																						x					7	0	0
Buck Creek																						x					6	0	0
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734											x										x				x	6	0	0
Calvary	Elmas Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard 30537																					x					5	0	0
Cartoogechaye	Roy Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin											x					x					x				x	6	0	0
Clear Creek																						x					3	0	0
Cowee							x		x			x					x	x		x						x	7	0	0
Coweeta	Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Box 25, Otto 28763																					x				x	6	0	0
Ellijay																													
Fairview																													
Flats																													
Franklin, East	Paul Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734											x										x				x	4	0	0
Franklin, First	Gus Baldwin, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734						x				x	x						x				x	1	0			18	25	0
Franklin, West	Swann Elliott, 110 Palmer Dr., Franklin						x		x												x					x	3	0	0
Gold Mine	Ellison Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741																				x					x	4	0	0
Higdonville	Bill Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734																	x				x					8	0	0
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, Scaly Mt., 28775																					x	0	0			7	0	0
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48A Lakeside Dr., Franklin																	x			x					x	9	0	0
Iotla	Glenn Campbell, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734											x			x				x		x	x				x	7	0	0
Kettle Rock																													
Liberty	Spurgeon Freeman, Rt. 3, Bryson City											x		x							x	x				x	7	0	0
Longview	Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734											x										x	2	0		x	8	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Berlan Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734											x										x				x	0	0	0
Mt. Hope	Robert Parker, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734																		x			x	2	0		x	8	0	0
Mountain Grove	Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734																										3	0	0
Nantahala #2	Dallas Rowland, Star Rt., Topton 28781																					x					3	0	0
Newman's Chpl.	David Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard 30537	x																				x				x	3	0	0
Oak Dale	Howard Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																					x					6	0	0
Oak Grove	Frank Browning, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734											x										x					0	0	0
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734																					x					5	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Dillard Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734																					x					8	0	0
Prentiss	Jimmie Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734																					x				x	6	0	0
Ridgecrest	Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734													x								x				x	10	0	0
Rose Creek	G. B. McCall, Rt. 4, Box 169, Franklin 28734																					x					3	0	0
Shortoff	Alvin Crowe, Highlands 28741																					x					5	0	0
Sugar Fork	Howard Teem, Fontana Dam																					x					0	0	0
Tellico	Earl Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin											x										x					2	0	0
Tesentee																						x					0	0	0
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton																					x					4	0	0
Walnut Creek																						x					2	0	0
Watauga	Gene Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin 28734															x						x				x	4	0	0
Wells Grove																						x				x	4	0	0
West Union																						x						0	0
White Oak Flats	Clayton Bateman			1	1																	x					5	0	0
Windy Gap	Thad Wilson, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																					x					2	0	0
	TOTALS	1	0	1	1	1	3	0	2	0	1	11	1	1	2	0	4	4	0	3	10	32	5	0	0	19	210	25	0

HISTORICAL RECORD
North Carolina, Macon County Baptist Association
Organized in 1904

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1904	Franklin	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	J. A. Brendel
1905	Sugarfork	J. W. Kesterson	H. D. Dean	J. W. Watson
1906	Briartown	W. Bradley	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1907	Cartoogechaye	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	A. S. Solesby
---	----------	----------	H. D. Dean	J. R. Pendergrass
1908	Coweeta	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	T. C. King
1909	Burningtown	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1910	Watauga	F. Morgan	A. C. Hurst	T. J. Vinson
1911	Liberty	T. C. Bryson	A. C. Hurst	R. P. McCracken
1912	Pine Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	F. M. Morgan
1913	Oak Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	B. S. West
1914	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. T. Potts
1915	Pleasant Hill	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	R. T. Vann
1916	Mount Hope	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1917	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. L. Bradley
1918	Prentiss	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. C. Owens
1919	Sugar Fork	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1920	Holly Springs	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	J. A. Bryson
1921	Burningtown	J. A. Bryson	Robert Ramsey	D. C. McCoy
1922	Franklin	R. P. McCracken	Robert Ramsey	W. L. Bradley
1923	Nanahala	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	G. A. Cloer
1924	Watauga	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. L. Kinsland
1925	Tellico	H. D. Dean	T. C. Bryson	W. R. Rickman
1926	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	E. N. Gardner
1927	Holly Springs	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1928	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1929	Ridge Crest	W. M. Lee	R. M. Ledford	W. E. Abernathy
1930	Sugarfork	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1931	Pleasant Hill	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1932	Pine Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. F. Burrell
1933	Briartown	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1934	Franklin	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. L. Bradley
1935	Oak Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. R. Rickman
1936	Rainbow Springs	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. F. Mayberry
1937	Coweeta	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	C. F. Rogers
1938	Cartoogechaye	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. G. Benfield
1939	Clear Creek	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	M. A. Love
1940	Ellijay	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. W. Williams
1941	Newman Chapel	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1942	Burningtown	C. C. Welch	R. M. Ledford	G. A Cloer
1943	Watauga	C. C. Welch	S. J. Smith	T. M. Carter
1944	Goldmine	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. C. Scruggs
1945	Holly Springs	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. F. Marchman
1946	Mount Hope	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	J. I. Vinson
1947	Cowee	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	H. E. Marchman
1948	Highlands	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	C. F. Parker
1949	Ridge Crest	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	Paul Nix
1950	Sugarfork	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	E. M. Holden
1951	Franklin	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	M. W. Chapman
	Watauga	----------	----------	W. L. Sorrells
1952	Oak Grove	H. H. Stocktor	Clyde Drake	John Corbitt
	Iotla	----------	----------	C. F. Taylor
1953	Newman's Chapel	W. L. Sorrells	----------	Ar il Taylor
	Tellico	----------	Vernon Higdon	Fr nk Reed
1954	Longview	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
	Ellijay	----------	----------	Joh n Buell

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HISTORICAL REOCRD (continued):

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1955	Higdonville	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	L. Eugene Walter
	Mt. Hope	----------	----------	----------
1956	Burningtown	----------	----------	W. A. Cloer
	Iotla	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
1957	Watauga	M. C. Wyatt	Vernon Higdon	Clyde Rhinehart
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	----------
1958	Liberty	L. Eugene Walter	Mrs. J. Campbell	Doyle Miller
	Wells Grove	----------	----------	----------
	Prentiss	----------	----------	Lee Crawford
1959	Wells Grove	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	R. R. Standley
	Holly Springs	----------	----------	J. H. Propst, Jr.
1960	Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	L. A. Howard
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	Thad R. Dowdle
1961	Pine Grove	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. J. Campbell	Clyde W. Collins
	Iotla	----------	----------	Paul M. Sorrells
1962	Sugar Fork	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Judson Hall
	Coweeta	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Otto Parham
1963	Gold Mine	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Robert L. Clark
	Highlands	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	R. C. Bailey
1964	Windy Gap	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	Carl E. Sizemore
	West Franklin	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	L. C. Pinnix
1965	Cartoogechaye	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Gene Southard
	Ridge Crest	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Guy Duvall
1966	Oak Grove	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Clyde Collins
	Ellijay	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Cecil Frady
1967	Watauga	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Bill Shields
	Wells Grove			Earl Dendy
1968	East Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Pleasant Hill	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. Roy Smith
1969	Mashburn Branch	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	Mack Reed
	Mt. Hope	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	John R. Willis
1970	Newman Cahpel	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	M. I. Brock
	Holly Springs	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	Cecil Frady
1971	Cowee	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
	Longview	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
1972	Higdonville	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jack King
	Burningtown	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jim Crayton

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SUGARFORK BAPTIST CHURCH
(Night Session)

HIGHLANDS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
(Day Session)

AUGUST 16-17, 1973

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The Next Annual Night Session of the Association will be held with the Pine Grove Baptist Church and the Day Session with the West Franklin Baptist Church.

Moderator ---------- Rev. Earl Dendy

Clerk ---------- Mrs. Linda Cabe

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

1973-1974

Moderator	Rev. Jud Duvall
Vice Moderator	Rev. Gene Hawkins
Treasurer	Mrs. Barbara Ledford
Clerk	Mrs. Mary Justice
Historian	Miss Mae McCoy

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Sunday School Director	Roy Tippett
Associate Director	Rev. Gene Hawkins
Secretary	Miss June Brendle
Pianist	Mrs. James Hedden
Chorister	Mr. Jack Powell
Supt. of Training	Rev. Judson Hall
Supt. of Evangelism	Rev. Paul Morgan
Supt. of Extension	Rev. Jim Crayton
Supt. VBS	Mrs. Jack Powell

Department Leaders

Adults and Up	Rev. Jack King
Young People 12-17	Mrs. Clyde Drake
Children 6-11	Mrs. Charles Pickens
Pre-School-birth-5	Mrs. Tex Corbin

CHURCH TRAINING OFFICERS

Director	Mr. John Rogers
Associate Director	Mr. Roy Love
Secretary	Mrs. Richard McClure
Pianist	Mrs. Elaine Mason
Chorister	Mr. John Johnson
Pastor Advisor	Rev. Cecil Frady
Adults 18 and up	Mr. Grady Nicholson
Children Division 6-11	Mrs. Linda Fisher
Pre-School Division Birth-5	Mrs. Clyde Drake

W. M. U. OFFICERS

Director	Mrs. Frankie Reynolds
Associate Director	Mrs. Mamie Raby
Baptist Women	Mrs. M. Frances Parker
Young Baptist Women	Mrs. Linda Cabe
Acteen Director	Mrs. Linda Fisher
Girls In Action	
Mission Friends	
Social Chairman	Mrs. Zena P. Brogden
Publicity Chairman	Mrs. Mary Justice
Sec. & Treasurer	Mrs. Becky Garrett

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:
Rev. Bill Shields
Rev. Bill Smith
Rev. Harvey Stewart
Lawrence Long
Fred Bryson

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE:
Rev. J. S. Cunningham
Rev. Bill Shields
Rev. Alton Dendy

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:
Mr. Weaver Fox
Rev. Harvey Stewart
Mr. Zeb Hall
Rev. Glenn Whitley
Rev. Jack King
Rev. Bill Smith
Mr. Victor Teague

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL AGENCIES:

Children's Homes	Mr. Roy Rickman
Baptist Hospital	Mr. Bruce Bryant
Homes for Aging	Mr. John Roper
Christian Education	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Biblical Recorder	Mrs. Edd Brogden
Cooperative Program	Mr. Swann Elliott
Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
Ministers Retirement	Rev. C. C. Welch

COMMITTEE ON PASTORLESS CHURCHES:
Missions Committee

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES:
Moderator, Vice Moderator, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Field Worker, WMU Director, Brotherhood Dir.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:
Rev. C. C. Welch
Rev. Earl Dendy
Rev. Bill Smith
Mr. Cliff Cook
Mr. Marshall Fouts

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:
Mrs. Cliff Cook
Mrs. Clyde Kinsland

MUSIC COMMITTEE:
Mr. John Johnson

SEMINARY EXT. COMMITTEE:
Mr. Fred Stiles
Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
Rev. Alton Dendy

TRUSTEES:
Mr. Charles R. Southard
Mr. H. H. Plemmons
Mr. Roy Rickaman

PROGRAM AND PLACE COMMITTEE:
Moderator
Vice Moderator
Field Worker
Two Laymen

TRUETT CAMP COMMITTEE:
Rev. Judson Hall
Rev. Andrew Cloer

CONSTITUTION

As Amended from Time to Time

ARTICLE I - Name

This Association shall be known as the Macon Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II - Object

The object of this Association shall be:

1. To cultivate a friendly union among the churches for their mutual benefit.

2. To cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention in the promotion of the causes of Associational Missions, State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and such other objects as these conventions may foster.

ARTICLE III - Membership

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Macon County who shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers.

Section 2. This Association shall have the right to determine what churches shall be admitted to its union, and to withdraw fellowship from any, for not complying with its rules or with the Articles of its Constitution and By-Laws, or for violating orthodox principles as set forth and believed by Southern Baptists.

Section 3. Any church desiring membership in the Association will present its request at any regular annual meeting. The request will be referred to a Credential Committee appointed by the Association, which committee, will examine the church's articles of faith, covenant, form of organization and such other matters as deemed necessary. Upon favorable report of the committee at the next annual meeting of the Association, the church may be received into fellowship by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present.

Section 4. It shall be a duty of each church to furnish the Association each year a letter, on a form provided by the clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form; and to send with the letter or by a messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes of the Association. This letter and accompanying money to cover cost of minutes requested shall be in the clerk's hands thirty (30) days prior to annual meeting.

ARTICLE IV - Meetings

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the second Sunday in August. The associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

Section 2. The business of the Association shall be transacted by the pastors of the several churches, and two messengers from each church, together with one additional messenger for every fifty members or fraction thereof above the first fifty, with no church having more than fifteen messengers.

Section 3. This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules as may be adopted, amended or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. "Roberts' Rules of Order" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE V - Officers and Committees

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, and three trustees.

Section 2. The standing Committees of this Association shall be the Executive Committee, the Missions Committee, the Nominating Committee, Credential and Ordination Committee, Evangelism Committee, Program and Place Committee, and such other committees as the body may direct. The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be Ex-Officio members of all standing Committees.

ARTICLE VI - Associational Missionary

Section 1. The Association shall employ an Associational Missionary whose duties are described as follows:

(a) Work with and under the general supervision of the Missions Committee of the Association in maintaining and directing the Associational Program of Missions.

(b) Give guidance, counsel, and assistance whenever possible, and/or as needed to associational officers, organizations, and committees.

(c) Share and distribute information concerning plans and activities of the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention as they relate to the work and program of the churches.

(d) Make himself available to each church and pastor, as his schedule permits, for any service he might render, such as preaching, teaching and counseling.

(e) Administer or execute any other activities that the Association shall direct.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall be called for an indefinite term to serve until the relationship is disolved at the request of eigher the Missionary or the Association. In either case, at least sixty days notice shall be given of termination of the relationship, unless otherwise mututally agreed, with both the Missionary and the Association seeking to follow the will of God and the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Section 3. The missionary shall be provided with such salary and expenses as the Missions Committee shall recommend with the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VII - Amendments

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the annual meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I - Election of Officers

All general officers of this Association shall be elected at each annual meeting upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee. The terms of office to begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting and to continue until the close of the next annual meeting. Any vacancies occurring in the interim shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II - Duties of Officers

Section 1. THE MODERATOR: The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officers of a deliberative body and shall also serve as chairman of the Executive Committee. He shall serve not more than two years consecutively. He shall appoint during the first session committees to report at the Annual Associational Meeting. These committees are: Resolutions and any other committees.

Section 2. THE VICE-MODERATOR: The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.

Section 3. THE CLERK: The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association and have the same printed and distributed subject to the approval of the Moderator and Treasurer.

Section 4. THE TREASURER: The Treasurer shall preserve all monies paid into the body and pay the same upon the instruction of the Association, or Missions Committee. He shall make a quarterly report to the Executive Committee and an annual report to the Association.

Section 5. THE HISTORIAN: The Historian shall record and keep a record of such items as would be of interest to a future historian, in a book kept for that purpose. He shall keep a file of the Associational minutes.

Section 6. THE TRUSTEES: The Trustees shall be three in number and shall hold title to all properties owned by the Association. No conveyance or deed-of-trust shall be executed affecting the title of said property except upon the instructions of the annual meeting of the Association or the Executive Committee. The Trustees shall serve terms of three years with one-third elected each year.

ARTICLE III - The Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the pastors of the churches of the Association, and one lay member from each church.

Section 2. The lay members shall be elected by the Church and reported to the Association on the Annual Associational Letter. The officers of the Association, heads of Associational Organizations and pastors are automatically on the committee by virtue of the places of leadership they hold in the Association.

Section 3. Duties of the Executive Committee:

(a) To meet quarterly and upon call of the chairman.

(b) To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.

(c) To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational Officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired terms.

(d) To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.

ARTICLE IV - The Missions Committee

Section 1. The Missions Committee shall be composed of four pastors and three laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The pastors shall be elected for a term of two years with one-half the number being elected each year. The laymen shall be elected for a term of three years with one-third of the number being elected each year. The committee shall elect its chairman and secretary each year.

Section 2. Duties of the Missions Committee: To lead in our Associational Missions Program through:

(a) General supervision and guidance of the Associational Mission Program.

(b) Seeking out an Associational Missionary, making nominations in event of vacancy.

(c) Planning a Program of Activities with the Associational Missionary.

(d) The Recommendation of an Associational Budget to the Executive Committee meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Association.

(e) The supervision of the expenditure of the budget.

(f) The enlistment of the churches in the active financial support of the Associational Mission program.

ARTICLE V - The Credential and Ordination Committee

Section 1. The Credential and Ordination Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Credential and Ordination Committee:

(a) Examine applications churches seeking admission into Association.

(b) Make necessary recommendations to the Association.

(c) Encourage all churches to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry.

(d) Upon the invitation of the church conducting the ordination, represent the Association on the examining council.

ARTICLE VI - The Nominating Committee

Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen to be appointed by the Moderator during the first session of each annual Associational Meeting. The first named shall be chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Nominating Committee:

(a) To nominate the general officers of the Association.

(b) To nominate the Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

(c) To nominate the Associational Training Union Director.

(d) To nominate the Orphanage, Hospital, Biblical Recorder, and Baptist Home for the aging representatives.

(e) To nominate Associational Brotherhood president.

(f) To nominate Associational Music Director.

(g) To nominate the standing committees that are to function during the year between the sessions of the Association.

(h) To fill vacancies occuring in any of the standing committees during the year.

Section 3. All other officers are to be recommended by the heads of the organizations and departments to the Nominating Committee.

ARTICLE VII - Committee on Evangelism

Section 1. The Committee on Evangelism shall be composed of three members nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Committee on Evangelism:

(a) Study and keep the Association and trend of Baptism within the Association.

(b) Plan and promote such meetings as will keep the cause of Evangelism before the Association.

ARTICLE VIII - Program and Place Committee

Section 1. This committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary and two laymen.

Section 2. Duties:

(a) This committee shall plan the program of the annual meeting as to time, place, and preacher and all necessary events.

(b) This program shall be presented to the Executive Committee at its last regular meeting before the Association.

ARTICLE IX - Reports

All reports to the Annual Associational Meeting are to be in the Associational Missionary's office thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Associational Meeting.

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PROGRAM

SEVENTIETH ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "SHARE THE WORD NOW"

NIGHT SESSION WITH SUGAR FORK BAPTIST CHURCH
August 16, 1973 - 7:30 P. M.

7:30	Call to Worship	Moderator
	Hymn No. "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling"	Mr. Johnson
7:35	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. Jim Crayton
	Recognition of Pastors and Visitors	Moderator
	Enrollment and Statistical Report	Mrs. Linda Cabe
	Report of Committee on Order of Business	Moderator
7:50	Share The Word Through Missions -	
	Associational Missions	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
	Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
	State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
8:10	Share The Word Now through Baptist Literature	
	Biblical Recorder Report	Mrs. Edd Brogden
	Speaker	J. Marse Grant, Biblical Recorder Editor
8:25	Woman's Missionary Union Report	Mrs. Frankie Reynolds
8:35	Hymn No. 64 "To the Work"	Mr. John Johnson
	Business:	
	Executive Promotion Committee Report	Moderator
	Treasurer's Report	Mrs. Barbara Ledford
	Finance Committee Report	Rev. Bill Shields
	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Bill Shields
	Miscellaneous Business	
8:50	Hymn "Work, for the Night is Coming"	Mr. Johnson
	Annual Sermon and Benediction	Rev. Glenn Whitley

DAY SESSION WITH HIGHLANDS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Morning Session August 17, 1973 9:30 A. M.

THEME: "SHARE THE WORD NOW"

	Piano Meditation	
9:30	Hymn No. 437-"Our Best"	Mr. John Johnson
	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. H. L. Stewart
9:40	Report on Evangelism	Rev. J. S. Cunningham
9:50	Cooperative Program Report	Mr. Swann Elliott
	Speaker	Mr. R. H. Bruhn
10:05	Baptist Foundation Report	
	Speaker	
10:15	Hymn No. '81 "Wonderful Words of Life"	Mr. Johnson

10:20	Share the Word through Social Service:	
	Home for the Aging Report ----------	Mr. John Roper
	Speaker ----------	
	Baptist Hospital Report ----------	Mr. Bruce Bryant
	Speaker ----------	Mr. Calvin Knight
	Children's Home Report ----------	Mr. Roy Rickman
	Speaker ----------	Dr. W.R. Wagoner
11:05	Report on Minister's Retirement ----------	Rev. C.C. Welch
11:20	Hymn No. 96 "At Calvary" ----------	Mr. John Johnson
11:25	Doctrinal Message ----------	Rev. Gene Hawkins
12:00-1:00	Fellowship & Lunch	
	Grace for Noon Meal ----------	Rev. Glen Whitley

AFTERNOON SESSION
August 17, 1973 - 1:00 P. M.

1:00	Piano Meditation	
	Hymn No. 207 "Rescue the Perishing" ----	Mr. John Johnson
	Scripture and Prayer ----------	Rev. Bill Smith
1:10	Report of Associational Committees ----------	Rev. J.S. Cunningham
	Report of Nominating Committee ----------	Moderator
	Place and Preacher Committee ----------	Moderator
1:25	Share the Word Now through Education:	
	Christian Education Report ----------	Mrs. Charles Cabe
	Speaker ----------	
	Fruitland ----------	
	Seminary Extension Report ----------	Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
	Truett Camp Report ----------	Rev. Alton Dendy
	Speaker ----------	Rev. Ralph Easterly
	Baptist College	
2:00	Share the Word Now through Associational Programs:	
	Vacation Bible School ----------	Mrs. Mary Powell
	G.A. Report	
	Church Training Report ----------	Mr. John Rogers
	Sunday School Report ----------	Mr. Charles Cabe
	Music Report ----------	Mr. John Johnson
	County Wide Deacon Report	
2:20	Honoring the Deceased ----------	Rev. Jack King
	Report of the Resolutions Committee -----	Mrs. Cliff Cook
		Mrs. Clyde Kinsland
2:35	Historian Report ----------	Miss Mae McCoy
2:45	Hymn No. 425 "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go" ----------	Mr. Johnson
2:50	Inspirational Message ----------	Rev. C.C. Welch
	Installation of Officers for 1973-74 ------	Moderator
	Benediction ----------	Rev. Alton Dendy

PROCEEDINGS

of the

SEVENTIETH ANNUAL SESSION
of the
MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "Share The Word Now in 1973-74"

The Macon Baptist Association met in its seventieth annual session with the Sugarfork Baptist Church on Thursday evening, August 16, 1973. Miss Sharon Johnson played a five-minute prelude at the piano while the evening session was gathering.

THURSDAY EVENING - AUGUST 16, 1973

1. The Association was called to order by Moderator Rev. Earl Dendy.
2. Mr. John Johnson, Associational Music Director, led in singing "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling," with Miss Sharon Johnson at the piano.
3. The host pastor, Rev. Jim Crayton, welcomed the seventieth session to Sugarfork Baptist Church. Rev. Crayton read Acts: 1:6, and led in prayer.
4. At this time the moderator extended a welcome to pastors and visitors asking them to stand stating their name and church of their pastorate. Thirteen pastors and nine visitors were present. Also the state representatives were welcomed to the Association.
5. The report on enrollment and statistics was submitted by Mrs. Linda Cabe, clerk. The clerk received 43 letters representing 126 messengers. A roll of the churches was called with those elected by their churches as messengers standing to constitute the governing body of the Associational meeting. The clerk moved the adoption of the statistical summary to be accepted as information. Also moved was acceptance of the attending messengers and other duly appointed messengers who might arrive later to constitute the seventieth annual session of the Macon Baptist Association. The motion passed and the report was adopted.
6. The moderator pointed out two corrections in the Book of Reports:
    1. The price of the new piano at Cowee is $1,500.
    2. In the deaths for West Franklin, Carl Blaine should be added.
7. The printed program was adopted with the necessary modifications to be made.
8. Rev. Cecil Frady called attention to the Associational Missions Report and spoke on this report.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

I am happy to be in the work of our Lord, as associational missionary. It is a great task as we work with each Baptist church to work together in God's work. It is a rewarding work and offers many opportunities, but also is heart breaking at times.

It has already been said by someone that Associational Missions is the sill upon which all other missions rests. Our progress depends upon the churches of this organization. God has blessed us in many ways during the past year. Out of fourteen Vacation Bible Schools reported there was forty-nine professions of faith, nineteen rededications for these decisions we do rejoice and thank God for them. Also we have had an increase in churches giving to associational missions, and churches who want to begin giving to cooperative program for the first time. We do thank God for these steps forward.

I am thankful to pastors, associational officers who have contributed to God's work. I'm thankful for the many opportunities I've had in working in churches in study courses, preaching in pastorless churches, filling in for pastors and Vacation Bible School at Nantahala with all six churches coming together. We do hope God will lead the man to our churches that are without pastors.

At the end of an associational year we can always look back and see what has been done and see where we would have done more for our Lord and Savior. As we face the year ahead I challenge each of us to become more involved in God's work, that we might trust Him More, Try Him, and Prove Him and be more determined to do more this year than ever before. Let's do our best in "Sharing God's Word Now in 1973-74 and in witnessing now. I believe there is an urgency in now in doing quickly what we can for our Lord.

To churches, pastors, and associational officers we do appreciate your prayers, support, gifts, and cooperation. It is because of you that I am able to give my third report to Macon Baptist Association. Let us look forward for another year together with enthusiasm for God's Kingdom of work here on earth.

Respectfully submitted, Cecil M. Frady, Assn. Missionary

9. Home Missions report prepared by Mrs. Connie Campbell, report received as information.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

"The church that does not reach out fades out". Baptist reach out in their support of missions through two channels. One is the Cooperative Program and the other is through weeks of prayer mission offerings. The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering plays a vital role in missionary expansion.

The major support for the twenty-four hundred missionaries, staff and office personnel is provided through the Annie Armstrong offering.

This offering also made it possible for the Home Mission Board to employ fifty-four US-2 workers.

There was a total of 994 students assigned in 1972 for summer missions, with 371 of this number being sponsored by Baptist Student Union and 621 supported by the Home Mission Board. Miss Janet Jacobs of Franklin was one of this number who served as a summer missionary in the northern part of the United States.

Rev. Wiley Gibson of Macon County left the early part of July to begin work with the Home Mission Board to serve as a Missionary-Pastor in Montana.

Margaret Fund scholarships were granted to 145 students attending eighty-five different colleges and universities.

Home Mission Board director of bus evangelism, William A.Powell states that after two years after the first Southern Baptist conducted bus evangelism clinic, more than 7,000 of the churches now have a bus ministry. This is 20 percent of our churches with an average of 350,000 people riding church buses each Sunday.

Last year Southern Baptist reported the highest number of baptisms in the history of the 127 year old convention. Sunday School enrolment also increased, reversing a seven-year trend of declining enrolment. More than one hundred new churches and missions were started during 1972.

Support is given to Evangelism projects, the largest of which is lay witnessing. Approximately 1,200 lay witnessing schools were conducted during 1972 with an estimated 100,000 laymen receiving training in witnessing for Christ. During the spring break a student witnessing project was conducted on the Florida beaches, involving 488 students who had been trained in lay witnessing. These students witnessed to approximately 5,000 students two hundred of whom made decisions for Christ.

Last year many of the dreams of home mission leaders went unfulfilled because of lack of funds. This year the response of Baptist will make some of those visions come true. A few of the ministries the Home Missions Board is doing or plans to do as a result of increased financial support are:

New crusade and evangelistic projects will be launched in Alaska and other pioneer states where they are so desperately needed.

Foreign language scriptures will be prepared for the thousands of international seamen who annually visit the port cities of America.

"SPRING STREET, USA" was produced as the first Southern Baptist evangelistic television program. Initially aired on more than fifteen stations across the country, the broadcast's audience and number of affiliate stations are growing weekly.

Twenty new churches will be established in strategic locations of the Great Lakes area.

Forty additional student missionaries will be employed to work in special mission areas this summer.

Church Extension will support mission pastors and other missionary workers primarily concerned with starting and strengthening new churches and missions.

Special mission offerings, along with the Cooperative Program report for 1972, indicate that the outreach of our churches through all channels of mission support continues to show growing concern for world need in response to the Great Commission. "Home Missions doesn't begin with the Home Mission Board--it begins with the local church." We are challenged to help turn this nation into a land that loves the Lord.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Connie H. Campbell

10. Report submitted by Mrs. Barbara Roper.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

At the close of 1972 the Foreign Mission Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2, 507. Appointments during the year totaled 171.

Southern Baptist Missions and National Baptist groups in dozens of countries continue to call for reinforcements in missionary personnel. Some requests are still not filled, even though they have been repeated for several years and are still urgent.

On January 1, 1973, Southern Baptist missionaries were under appointment to 76 geographical areas.

Underlying all our missionary endeavors is the ultimate purpose of leading people to new life in Christ Jesus and the cultivation of New Testament churches. Organized churches with which Southern Baptist missionaries are related on mission fields now total 6, 554, of which more than 75 percent are self-supporting.

In several countries, increased emphasis is being placed upon the transfer of responsibility from missionaries to capable national leaders. Local conventions are sending their own missionaries and starting new outreach ministries.

Radio-television ministries continue to expand during the year. A new communications center in Columbia held its first training course, with participants from several nations. Increased opportunity for radio ministry has come in Spain, as several local stations now welcome Baptist broadcasts.

The training of national leaders is a prerequisite to strong churches. Of special importance is the development of pastors and other church leaders through theological schools and also in program below the full seminary level.

The new Baptist seminary in Portugal graduated its first class in 1972. During the year, Vietnamese Baptist held a special program of lay leadership training.

Work among students and youth continues to receive encouraging response. Coffeehouses, reading rooms, student centers, retreats and camps all play a part in this significant ministry among young people.

Our missionaries are related to publishing centers in 25 lands. They assisted in producing over 23 million pieces of literature: tracts, books, periodicals, Bibles, hymnals, and other items. The Baptist Spanish Publishing House in El Paso, Texas, has initiated an English-language ministry to provide materials for ministerial training in the Caribbean area.

The program of hospitals and medical care serves the physical needs of thousands of people who would otherwise be neglected and often opens strategic doors for evangelistic witness. During 1972, missionaries and national workers engaged in this ministry treated nearly 55,000 inpatients and saw more than 890,000 outpatients.

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Roper

11. State Missions report prepared by Mrs. Paul Ammons, report received as information.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Through State Missions we are to do great works commended to us by our Lord.

The challenge is before us, our money given to State Missions will open doors in many areas.

Through the budget of the Cooperative Program the State Convention is to receive 66.66 cents of each dollar or a total of $5,666,100 of this amount, 19.75 cents or $1,678.520 goes to State Missions.

1. Divisions of Church Programs - 6.93 cents or $588.725
2. Special Appropriations - 1.78 cents or $151.728
3. Divisions of Mission Ministries - 5.31 cents or 451.487
4. Womans Missionary Union - 1.36 cents or $278.625
5. Division of Evangelism - .75 cents or $63.515
6. Campus Ministries - 3.28 cents or $278.625
7. Division of Christian Life and Public Affairs - .34 cents or $29.00

Encourage each Church to do their best on "State Missions Day". Our Christian responsibility is to give that others might know Him as Lord and Savior.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Paul Ammons

12. Report submitted by Mrs. Edd Brodgen. Rev. Woodrow Hill, Field Representative spoke to this report.

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

This has been another good year for the BIBLICAL RECORDER, thanks to your support and confidence. One of the milestones reached in the past year was passing the 100,000 mark in circulation. This occurred in May and circulation has now rised to nearly 106,000--the highest in the 140 year history of the RECORDER. This has been achieved largely because more churches are putting the RECORDER in the budget, thus saving money and also time and effort that is put forth each year to renew their subscriptions under the Club Plan of four or more.

As you know the RECORDER has for years led the fight against liquor by the drink. Now the issue is up to the people in a state-wide referendum on November 6. The RECORDER will continue to give you information that will help win this fight against the liquor interests and those who would profit from liquor by the drink if this passes--which we hope and pray it won't. If individual Baptist will become as concerned about this evil as the RECORDER is, a great victory for decency will be won in November.

Those of you who don't get the RECORDER should subscribe immediately, either by putting the RECORDER in your budget for only $2.50 a year or by starting a club of four or more for only $3 a year. Where else can you get so much for so little?

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Edd Brodgen

13. Baptist Hospital report submitted by Bruce Bryant. Rev. Calvin Knight from Baptist Hospital spoke to this report.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

In May of this year Baptist Hospital observed its 50th Anniversary. The hospital opened its doors in May of 1923 "to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer."

The anniversary was celebrated jointly with the dedication of the new Reynolds Tower, a 16-story patient care facility. The completion of the Tower brings the total bed capacity to 655, placing Baptist Hospital within the top 10 per cent (in size) among hospitals in the United States. When the renovation of older sections of the hospital is completed the total number of beds will be 717.

Construction has begun on an ambulatory care building which will house the emergency room, several outpatient clinics, the Physical Therapy Department, and an Oncology (Cancer) Clinic and Research Laboratories. This building and the above-mentioned renovation will complete the present Medical Center Development Program.

The hospital's financial operation is "in the black", and there has not been a general room rate increase in 2 1/2 years. As of this date, the Mother's Day Offerings are running ahead of last year.

Respectfully submitted, Bruce Bryant, Bapt. Hosp. Rep.

14. W.M.U. Report prepared by Mrs. Frankie Reynolds.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

During 1972-73 our associational WMU and each individual church WMU has had two main emphases. These have been:

1. enlistment - enlargement
2. witnessing through mission action

We began our year with an associational leadership conference for all church WMU officers. This conference was held September 25 at First Baptist Church. Seven churches were represented with 52 persons attending.

In November the Baptist Young Women of First Baptist Church under the direction of the associational Baptist Young Women, director, Linda Cabe gave a skit and social hour for Baptist Young Women of the association.

In February 12, during WMU Focus week, our Associational Baptist Women Director, Mary Frances Parker led our associational Home Mission Study at First Baptist Church.

On Tuesday April 3 our annual associational WMU meeting was held in an afternoon and evening session with Iotla Baptist Church serving as host church. Rev. Luther Osment, Western Regional Missionary was guest speaker at the evening service.

The following new organizations in WMU have been established this year:

2 Baptist Young Women groups established
2 churches have expressed an interest in the acteen organization
2 churches have expressed interest in establishment of a WMU program in their church

Missions is a great task and this task can be carried forward for the glory of our Lord. WMU can and is helping in the mission task.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Frankie Reynolds

15. Mr. John Johnson led the group in singing "To The Work".

16. The Executive Promotion Committee's report was accepted as information. The moderator spoke to this report.

17. Mrs. Barbara Ledford spoke to Treasurer's Report and report was adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year - July 1, 1972 through June 30, 1973

Amount Brought forward from previous year $2,235.51

Contributions	Assn. Missions	Home	Minutes	Other
Bethel Hill	$	$	$ 5.00	$
Black Mountain		18.35		
Briartown			8.00	
Burningtown	85.00		8.00	
Calvary	40.00	25.00		
Cartoogechaye	700.00		12.00	
Clear Creek	101.60		30.00	
Cowee	600.00	330.00	20.00	
Coweeta	75.00		10.00	
Ellijay	35.00	35.00		
Flats	20.40	10.00		
East Franklin		48.00	4.00	
Franklin First	1,274.85	450.00	10.00	
West Franklin	120.00			
Gold Mine	60.00	125.00	12.00	
Higdonville	260.00	75.00	10.00	30.00
Highlands First	355.00	330.00	4.00	(Hosp. ch.)
Holly Springs	424.62	70.54	6.00	35.00
Iotla	630.00		10.00	(Hosp. Ch.)
Liberty	195.00		10.00	
Longview	720.00	10.00	10.00	
Mashburn Branch	100.00			
Mt. Hope	336.00	227.52		
Mt. Grove		6.00	3.00	
Newman Chapel	120.00	438.13	20.00	
Oakdale	203.06			
Oak Grove	130.00	42.25	6.00	
Pine Grove	30.00	90.00		
Prentiss		10.00	10.00	
Ridgecrest	192.00	211.68	20.00	
Shortoff	167.16		10.00	
Sugarfork	110.00		12.00	
Tellico			8.00	
Walnut Creek	30.00	50.00	15.00	
Watauga	295.00		15.00	
Wells Grove	120.00			
West Union	7.45	6.90		
White Oak Flats	15.75			
Windy Gap	110.00		5.00	
Anonymous Donors	8.00	850.00		
N. C. Bapt. State Conv.	1,862.00			
Rev. Cecil Frady, (Reimbursement telephone calls	-183.30			
Rev. Cecil Frady	36.00			
Miscellaneous	9.34			
Total Contributions Year	$9,713.53	$3,513.37	$293.00	$ 65.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Electricity	$557.90	
Telephone	415.41	
Mailing Permit & Stamps	123.00	
Rev. Cecil Frady (Salary & Travel)	6,199.92	
Annuity Board, SBC (Annuity, Rev. Frady)	400.08	
Town of Franklin (Water-Sewage)	86.95	
Vacation Bible School Clinic	28.33	
Associational Minutes	529.34	
Macon Ministerial Association (For Hosp. Chap)	65.00	
BKC Construction (Stone)	48.30	
Gray & Creech (Mimeo supplies)	103.79	
Jones, Jones & Keys (easements)	30.00	
Mrs. Ruth Hess (clerk)	100.00	
Mrs. Betty Penland (treasurer)	125.00	
Clark Sign Company	16.00	
West Building Material	49.56	
Brown & Carson (fertilizer)	15.75	
Franklin Insurance Agency	145.00	
Register of Deeds	3.50	
First Union National Bank, Principal on loan	-2,918.07	
Interest	2,463.00	
Downs & Dowdle (fertilizer)	23.90	
S.S. Board, SBC (literature)	10.16	
Bates Concrete	20.00	
Post Office Box Rent	5.80	
Total Disbursements for Year	$14,483.76	
Balance on Hand July 1, 1972		$2,235.51
Total contributions for year		13,584.90
Total on hand for year		15,820.41
Disbursements for year		14,483.76
Balance on hand June 30, 1973		$1,356.65

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Ledford, Treasurer

18. In absence of Rev. Bill Shields, Cecil Frady spoke to Finance report, and gave oral report on Missions Committee report. Rev. Frady moved adoption of all reports given at this session be adopted. Reports adopted. Rev. Frady moved the adoption of the Proposed Budget for 1973-74. Motion carried.

BUDGET

SALARIES:		
Field Worker's Salary	$ 5,200.00	
Treasurer's Salary	100.00	
Clerk's Salary	100.00	
Total Salaries		$5,400.00
GENERAL EXPENSE:		
Water, Lights, Heat	850.00	
Field Worker's Travel Expense	1,000.00	
Field Worker's Convention Expense	300.00	
Field Worker's Annuity	400.00	
Office Phone	300.00	
Printing of Minutes (extras)	60.00	
Office Supplies and Postage	250.00	
Maintenance	150.00	
Total General Expenses		$3,310.00

PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES:

Sunday School	$ 75.00
Training Union	75.00
Woman's Missionary Union	125.00
Vacation Bible School	75.00
Total Promotional Expenses	350.00
Grand Total	$ 9,060.00
Less Convention Supplement	$ 2,375.00
To Be Raised by the Churches	$ 6,685.00

HOUSE PAYMENT 1974

Pledges and love gifts needed in 1974 for	
House Payment (regular)	$5,175.62
House Payment Delinquent 1972-73	$3,999.11

19. Mr. John Johnson led the group in singing "Work For The Night is Coming".

20. Time having come for annual sermon Rev. Glenn Whitley read for his scripture Mark 14: 69-72. His sermon subject "Are You This Man's Disciple?"

Rev. Whitley closed with prayer to adjourn the evening session.

Adjournment was at 9:20 P. M.

Earl Dendy, Moderator - Linda Cabe, Clerk

FRIDAY MORNING - AUGUST 17, 1973
HIGHLANDS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

21. Highlands First Church was host for the Friday morning session. Moderator Earl Dendy called this second session to order at 9:30 A. M. Mr. John Johnson, led the group in singing "Our Best".

The piano accompaniment was provided by Mrs. Fred Corbin, in the absence of Miss Sharon Johnson.

22. Rev. H. L. Stewart, pastor of the host church, extended a welcome to those attending the Friday session.

23. Evangelism report prepared by Rev. Jess Cunningham was received as information.

EVANGELISM REPORT

"SHARING CHRIST NOW" was the theme of the 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference at Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte - February 5-7, 1973. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons were challenged by outstanding speakers to lead their people to become more involved in the work of evangelism. The closing session on Wednesday, February 7, was held at Pritchard Memorial Church, with an emphasis on prayer and personal renewal.

The Division of Evangelism has encouraged churches to participate in KEY 73. One hundred and fifty denominations are sharing in this evangelistic effort. The purpose of KEY 73 is to unite all Christians in the task of evangelism and to enable Christians to confront every person in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Christ.

It is thrilling what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of our first summer youth evangelism team. Three college students - Steve Stout, Cooleemee; Terry Crouse, Lenoir, and Christy Farrior, Williamston, are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions in churches from Marshall to Washington.

The 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, during February 4-6, 1974.

Let us thank God for the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics. Remember to pray for the TOGETHER WE ADVANCE emphasis that we may strive to attain a 10% increase in baptisms, C. P. gifts, Bible Study enrolment and Assoc. Missions gifts.

Respectfully submitted, Jese Cunningham

24. The Cooperative Program report prepared by Swann Elliott was received as information.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything, would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.

Last year 1,138 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Four of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1972. These four associations were: Anson, Flat River, Tar River, and Yates.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?
2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?
3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program each month to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611?
4. Will you help us have a good stewardship workshop in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in your goals for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

Respectfully submitted, Swann Elliott

25. Rev. Cecil Frady spoke to Baptist Foundation.

26. The Baptist Home for The Aging was prepared by John Roper and received as information. Rev. Bill Poole spoke to this report.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

One of the most meaningful things that you do as a Baptist is the share that you have in the ministry of your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. As you look back with us upon the twenty-two years of this ministry, and the last year in particular, there are distinctive blessings that we would like to call to your mind and heart.

Never forget that this is your ministry, on behalf of Christ, to older persons and that they simply could not be ministered unto without your love gifts. Specifically, during the past year, through your gifts, you contributed $185 a month for the care of the majority of the residents in your five Baptist Homes. Through the Special Offering you contributed 20% of the total income of the Homes, and through the Cooperative Program, you gave 10% of the total budget needed. The tie that binds this ministry to the hearts of our Baptist people and our Baptist Churches is a very special one and a very distinctive one indeed.

God bless you for your share in this ministry to the Aging, which is both special and distinctive. Pray for us, come to see us, and continue to support

this ministry as liberally and loyally in the future as you have in the past.
Respectfully submitted, John Roper

27. Baptist Children's Home submitted by Rev. Rickman was received as information. Mr. Clyde Morris spoke to this report.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES

Hundreds of children, scattered between Manteo and Murphy, are dependent upon North Carolina Baptists and other friends for whatever opportunities and security life will afford them. Child care as practiced by the Baptist Children's Homes on North Carolina is a ministry dedicated to serving these children and to the strengthening of Christian family life. In reality, it is a ministry of missions, evangelism, education, conservation, rehabilitation, love and affection, Christian discipline and, undergirding all, it is a ministry of redemption--and we believe, close to the heart of our Lord.

Our services continue to be strengthened in western North Carolina. Several additions have been made on the Broyhill Home campus. Two new cottages were completed and occupied in January of this year, increasing the capacity of that campus to approximately fifty boys and girls. The lake has been completed and stocked with Rainbow Trout. The circular drive has been extended and considerable landscaping and beautification is in evidence. An administration building and recreation building are to be added in the near future.

We are dependent upon our Baptist people and other friends for financial support through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving Offering and special gifts. Without these sources of income we could not continue to operate. In behalf of hundreds of boys and girls for whom you provide opportunities for growth physically, mentally, emotionally, socially and spiritually, we express our appreciation.

Respectfully submitted, Roy Rickman

28. At this time Mr. John Johnson and Glen Shuler were asked to serve on the Place and Preacher Committee along with the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Field Worker.

The group joined in singing "At Calvary" led by Mr. Johnson.

Rev. Gene Hawkins brought the Doctrinal Message entitled "Jesus Christ the Basic Doctrine" the Scripture passage found in II John 1:9-10.

29. Following Rev. Hawkins message Rev. Glenn Whitley asked grace for noon meal.

Adjournment at 11:50 A. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION - AUGUST 17, 1973

30. The third session of the Macon Baptist Association Annual Meeting opened with words of thanks to the Sugarfork and Highlands churches for the wonderful hospitality shown us during our sessions this year.

31. "Rescue the Perishing" was led by John Johnson.

32. Rev. Jud Smith was recognized for scripture reading and prayer.

33. Place and preacher report was presented by Rev. Cecil Frady.

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The meeting next year will be held with the Pine Grove Baptist Church, for the night session and with West Franklin for the day session.

The Rev. Bill Smith will deliver the Annual Sermon and the Rev. H. L. Stewart will bring the Doctrinal Sermon.

34. Annuity Board report submitted by Rev. C.C. Welch, Welch spoke to this report.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention this year added new benefits or increased benefits for most active and retired pastors, church staff members and denominational workers it serves.

For annuitants (retirees, widows disabled persons) on the roll December 31, 1972, monthly income checks have been permanently increased by 6 per cent. Just before Christmas, 1972, more than 7,000 annuitants received "13th Checks" amounting to the size of two extra month's benefits. The "13th Checks" are paid in addition to the regular monthly payments.

Participants in Plans A-10, A-11 and A-25 on January 1, 1973 had their accrued credits increased by 10 per cent in "good experience credit", and Plan B participants received an additional interest credit based on the Board's good experience on its investments. In addition, the Board approved (subject to action by state conventions) an increase in widow benefits under Plan A to 50 per cent of the potential or actual retirement benefit; previously it was 40 per cent. This increase applies to those retiring January 1, 1973 or thereafter.

At the same time, a temporary income benefit under Plan A was established for a widow, child or dependent parent of those who die before early or normal retirement, or after disability retirement, and who have met the required participation. The temporary income benefit can amount, at maximum to $333.33 per month for 36 months (or a total of $12,000) if the participant died before age 40. The length of payment of the benefit decreases with age at death. This benefit is payable to those who died January 1, 1973 or thereafter.

More than 9,000 insurance policyholders transferred from the previous Health Benefit Plan with Blue Cross-Blue Shield to the new plan begun January 1, 1973 with Aetna Life Insurance Company.

Respectfully submitted, C.C. Welch

35. Report Christian Higher Education, speaking to this report Rev. Sherwood.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

In Macon Baptist Association, Baptist Churches and our Baptist Colleges are partners together in our program of Education. It is still true that most of our pastors, missionaries, church staff members, and leaders in our denomination get their education in our Baptist Colleges. We have some eighty North Carolina Baptist Churches which were provided dedicated student leadership during the summer of 1973 by the Baptist Youth Corps of our colleges.

Being worthy partners, we as Baptist Church members should give our Baptist Colleges our continued support, as we remember them with our prayers, and our gifts. During 1973, more than (2) million dollars will be given through our Cooperative Program for education. Also we had an opportunity to give to the Baptist College Scholarship Offering on Father's Day. Another way we can support our colleges is with Macon County youth. The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students. No qualified student is turned down in any of our colleges because of inability to pay.

Pastors, please contact your young people and tell them about the work loans and scholarships available at our Baptist schools. Point out the advantages in our church related schools and encourage the youth of your church to attend. Parents, please inquire of your pastor and associational Superintendent of Missions about help available for your children.

May we as worthy partners in the program of educational work together with one goal in mind that of creating persons and a world as Christ would have them to be.

Respectfully submitted, Josephine R. Cabe

36. Sunday School report submitted by Charles Cabe.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

In April of this associational year the Sunday School sponsored a "One Night Sunday School Revival". We were grateful to see the First Baptist Church in Franklin filled to about half of its capacity. The revival was climaxed by a good number of those present commiting themselves to win one person to Bible study this year. This commitment is in keeping with the commission given to us by Christ. When we consider the fact that in the past year only forty-four per cent (44%) of the resident church members attended Sunday School on a regular basis, such a commitment becomes more urgent.

We are to realize that the Pastor, the Sunday School Director and the Sunday School Teacher all have great responsibility in promoting Bible study. Too often the chain is broken at this point. We as members of the Sunday School must become fully aware that the commission was given individually to us. Only when we accept it on this basis "One Win One" will our Sunday School growand teach those who so desperately need Christ.

Respectfully submitted, Charles Cabe.

37. ## REPORT OF ORDINATION

Report of the Macon Baptist Ordination Committee of the Macon Baptist Association for 1973:

We only had two ordained ministers this year. West Franklin Baptist Church ordained Andy Cloer and Longview Baptist Church ordained Jimmy Guffey.

Respectfully submitted, C.C. Welch, Chairman Ordination Committee

38. ## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

It is impossible to make a complete report on VBS work for the summer 1973 at this time because some churches are reported to still be in schools or planning for them, however, interest has been good and schools thus far reported good. Many have called for supplies and information and some have reported having many more than they had planned for. While this made a hardship for the workers, we are glad that the boys and girls had the opportunity of attending Bible School.

A team of workers attended Wingate VBS Clinic and gained information and inspiration. Two clinics were held in Macon County with good attendance. One school was held in one of the Black Mountain churches with good attendance and others were held with summer workers or others from the County helping.

We must strive and plan to reach more with Better Vacation Bible Schools.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Powell, VBS Supt.

39. Rev. Jud Duvall gave an oral report for the Fruitland Baptist Assembly.

Truitt Baptist Camp Report was prepared by Rev. Alton Dendy and spoken to by Rev. Ralph Easterly.

CAMP TRUETT REPORT

Camp Truett reported 350 enrolled in summer camp at Truett. Twenty-five was the lowest enrolled.

They had an excellent Music Week this summer and a good pastors camp with more of our pastors attending this year.

I urge you as a church to take advantage of our camp. It is a well balanced program and activity for your youth.

Respectfully submitted, Alton Dendy

40. Seminary Extension report prepared by Hyldah Shepherd was received as information.

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

The enrollment for the 1972 Seminary Extension Course was twelve. The teacher was Rev. Charles L. Dean, Pastor of East Sylva Baptist Church, Sylva, North Carolina.

The course taught was New Testament 152, The Epistle of Paul to the churches of Galatin, by Herman N. Ridderbos, and the study guide was by Huber Drumwright, Jr., Professor of New Testament Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas.

This course was held at the Franklin Center in the First Baptist Church.

Pastors, church officers, and others who have taken these courses find them helpful not only in church work but also in daily life.

Respectfully submitted, Hyldah S. Shepherd

41. Training Union report prepared by John Rogers was received as information.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

In our Church Training program for "73" we have observed and reports from each church show us that God has truly blessed us with a very successful year.

Pray that God will guide us to be more concerned for those growing cold in their knowledge to learn more about God.

We have twenty eight churches in our association that do not have a Training Union Program.

"M" Night was held November 6, 1972 at Cowee Baptist Church. Rev. Wessly Grant from Asheville, North Carolina was guest speaker. Attendance went over four hundred which was double our attendance in "72". Watauga Baptist Church took the banner for best attendance.

Pray for your Training Union workers that they might train in the way God would have them too. Keep up the good work!

If we can help your church get a Training Program started please let us know.

Respectfully submitted, John Rogers

42. Mrs. Cliff Cook presented the report of Resolutions and moved the adoption of this report.

IN APPRECIATION

First - We give thanks to our gracious Heavenly Father for His Kindness and mercy, for His guidance through another year, for bringing us together in christian fellowship and brotherly love, in our Macon Baptist Association.

Second - To all officers and leaders who have labored so faithfully during the year, we express our heartfelt thanks. Our Moderator; Rev. Earl Dendy,

Vice Moderator; Rev. Jud Duvall, Clerk; Mrs. Linda Cabe; Treasurer, Mrs. Barbara Ledford; Superintendent of Missions; Rev. Cecil Frady, and our great messages our special thanks to each of you.

Third - To extend our thanks to all those, both local and state, who have had a part on the program, of our Seventieth Macon Baptist Association.

Fourth - We, The Macon Baptist Association expresses Thanks and appreciation to Sugarfork Baptist Church, and Highlands First Baptist Church for the kind hospitality, the splendid fellowship and for the delicious meal so graciously served.

Fifth - As we return to our homes and places of service, let us go fully determined, to use every opportunity in advancing for Christ. We have had a good year, God has heard and answered many of our prayers.

For many, many years we all have been worried, about our service men. Our prisoners of war. Tommy McNish and Nathan Henry from Macon County and many, many other, it is wonderful they are home. Truly, the Lord is good His mercy is everlasting and His Truth endureth to all generations. We present the resolution, that each of us study the Bible and work and pray, witness now and let us win North Carolina for Christ.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Cliff Cook

43. The Historical report prepared by Miss Mae McCoy was accepted as information.

HISTORICAL REPORT

The Sixty-Ninth Annual Session of Macon Baptist Association was held in September 1972. The meeting was well attended at the night service by messengers and others. The morning hours of the day service had more present than the afternoon session. Everything that was said brought to our attention many phases of Baptist work and the great need for churches and individuals to put our shoulders to the work in planning and setting higher goals so that this association may grow in our understanding of the great realities of the Christian Faith and their relevance to life today.

Macon Baptist Association was organized in August 1904. All annual sessions were held in August through 1964. In 1965, this meeting was held in September. This year, 1973, it is scheduled to be held in August. This will be the 70th Annual Session.

The Associational year ends June 30th of each year. All information concerning work in and among Baptist churches should be sent to Macon Baptist Headquarters by the end of the first week in July if possible.

Following are some of the things that have taken place in Macon Baptist Association this past year:

The Macon Ministerial Association sponsored a county-wide revival meeting in July 24-28, 1972, held at the Assembly of God Camp Ground. Evangelist Rev. Fred Lansford, Superintendent of Missions for the Truett Baptist Association, was the guest speaker. Wonderful soul-searching messages were heard. Testimonies were given by many and a goodly number of young people rendered good music and singing each night. Not as good attendance as was hoped for. Very rainy weather prevailed all week.

Ordinations

1. Andy Cloer was ordained to the Gospel Ministry August 6, 1972, by The West Franklin Baptist Church. The ordination service was conducted by Rev. Cecil Frady and others. Rev. Cloer is now serving as pastor of Buck Creek Church.

2. Mr. Jimmy Guffey was ordained to the Gospel Ministry by the Long View Baptist Church, August 13, 1972. The ordination service was carried through by the following people: Rev. C. C. Welch, Rev. Wiley Gibson, Rev. Tim Norman, Rev. Cecil Frady, Cliff Cook and Marshall Fouts. Rev. Guffey is a student at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky and has entered Evangelistic Work.

Church News

Rev. Dan Stiles has resigned as pastor of West Franklin Baptist Church to attend Southeastern Theological Seminary and will pastor a church in Boxboro.

Tellico Church has called Rev. Fred Cook as their pastor. Due to failing health, Rev. T.A. Slagle has resigned at Tellico.

In August, 1972, the First Baptist Church of Franklin called Rev. Douglas Sturgill of Goldsboro, N.C. to serve as Associate Pastor. Rev. Sturgill and his wife, Judy, have been involved in planning and helping to carry out many types of church activities such as Wednesday night suppers with family programs following, visitation ministries, youth choir organizations, Children's sermons for ages 5-12 (conducted on Sunday morning preceding Pastor's message), Vacation Bible School and others.

Franklin First Baptist held a revival meeting April 1-4, 1973. Dr. Foy Valentine, Director of the Christian Life Commission, Southern Baptist Convention, was the guest speaker. Dr. Valentine's messages were wonderful and many came out to hear him. There were no public professions witnessed or dedications on record.

On April 29, 1973, a worshipful and lovely Baptismal service was conducted by Dr. W. Thomas Lane in Franklin First. Fourteen candidates were baptized. Some had been waiting for this occasion for some months. Bad weather had delayed in winter. Mr. Harris Dryman, 70 some years old had waited only a few hours. He reports happy hours now. A large crowd was present for this impressive service.

Dr. W. Thomas Lane began his work as pastor of Franklin First on the first Sunday in September 1963 and continued to serve for almost 10 years. On May 6, 1973, Dr. Lane offered his resignation to become effective June 4, 1973. On May 9, 1973, the church met in the sanctuary in conference to consider this matter. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Harold Moore, Chairman of the Deacon Board. Mr. Moore read to the group assembled, Dr. Lane's resignation and its terms. The church voted to accept the resignation as read.

Franklin First experienced many improvements during Dr. Lane's pastoral years here. Most of them have been recorded in past associational reports. During the years, Dr. Lane baptised 130 and recorded 142 other additions to the church membership.

A.pulpit committee has been appointed to find a pastor.

Cowee Church: Shortly after Rev. J.W. Myers resigned, Cowee called Rev. Glenn Whitley of Marshall, N.C. He began his pastoral work on the first Sunday in September 1972. Since that time, attendance has grown, offerings are increasing, a new piano has been bought, costing $1,500 paid for and now in use. The Deacon Board and the church have agreed upon a plan for the construction of a new parsonage to be located across the highway not far from the church building. Work on the ground has already begun. This new structure will cost around $50,000 when finished. Rev. Whitley will soon be publishing a weekly Newsletter to be sent to each family. This will greatly strengthen the Lord's work there.

Ridgecrest Church has recently received a good number of books from Mrs. Lon Thompson. Shelves have been provided by a member and it is hoped that this will be the beginning of a Church Library. Every Baptist Church needs good Christian literature and books for its members. A member of Ridgecrest Baptist Church, Mrs. Minnie Berry, recently made a tour of the "Holy Land". The many interesting things which she has related about this memorable land should inspire all who hear her to increase our faith and efforts to do greater work for the Lord while the doors of opportunity are open. Rev. Guy Duvall is pastor at Ridgecrest.

Newman's Chapel Baptist Church has recently laid out the foundation for a Social Center building in which many activities of the church can be carried out in a more effective way. Rev. Earl Dendy is pastor.

Mt. Hope Church has greatly improved the church building. The sanctuary and basement have been enlarged. They have bricked the sanctuary and Educational section; installed new white lighted steeple; paved driveway around the church and parking lot; added new padded pews; carpeted floors and installed new Baptistry. Other interior improvements are yet to be made. A very fruitful revival meeting was held earlier in the summer, resulting in eleven conversions and 40-50 rededications. Rev. Dave Boyle of High Point, N.C., was guest speaker. On June 10, 1973, Rev. Billy Smith, pastor baptized 15 new converts in the new baptistry. The WMU of Mt. Hope is going well. All auxillaries are functioning and plans are being made for organizing a Brotherhood. May the Lord continue to bless this church and may it continue to grow.

Oak Grove has organized a new Sunday School class; a nursery has recently been provided and is open each Sunday morning through Worship Service. Rev. Ernie Sanders is pastor.

Sugar Fork Church: Recently fourteen people were baptized into the fellowship of this church and several others have joined this year. Training Union has been reorganized. All this is commendable. Rev. James Crayton is pastor.

Nantahala Section Church News: Bethel Hill Baptist Church has paneled their sanctuary and carpeted the floor as well as installed two new rest rooms. Rev. Ralph Postell is pastor.

The church, formerly known as Nantahala No. 2 has changed it's name to Aquone Baptist Church. This church has been improving in many areas of church work. Some time before July of 1972, this church had made plans to build a new house for worship. Most of the excavation had already been done. Rev. Cecil Frady, Macon Associational Field Worker, was asked to teach a Bible Study course to them. This study was conducted July 17-22, 1972. Thirty to forty attended this study. New enthusiasm began to build and the church building project began to take shape. Now they are almost ready to go into a nice modern church already paid for. Construction labor was donated by members. A second Bible Study course was taught this summer in June. Bethel Hill and Aquone churches met together for this course. Rev. Frady taught a study in Galatians.

All churches of Nantahala section met for Bible School in school building. Average attendance was 54. Offerings amounted to $43.53 to be divided equally to all churches for cooperative program. These churches are ready to take on new areas of church work and are asking for instructions and help so they may be real light-houses for the Lord. Let us pray for these people that they may continue to grow in Christian faith and work. Rev. Ralph Postell is pastor of Aquone.

Revival Meetings: Most of the churches have held a revival this year. Other reports will reveal some of the results.

Vacation Bible Schools

Many of Macon churches have had a good VBS this year. This type of work is of particular assistance to the churches in three areas, namely evangelism, stewardship and missions. A good number of our youth today who make professions of faith in Christ and life commitments to his service are made in sessions of VBS. So far this year, 48 decisions have been reported as a result of this work. Several schools have not reported as of this writing, yet the 48 are witness to the above statement.

The church must continue to add new members to its body for functioning and growth. God's purpose for a church has not changed.

PASTOR CHANGES

Churches that have recently called pastors are: Ellijay, Rev. Walter Clark; Briartown, Rev. Kenneth Jenkins of Swain County; Mashburn Branch, Rev. Howard Willis; Prentiss, Rev. Wallace Tallent; Pleasant Hill, Rev. Alton Dendy for full time service, and Clear Creek, Rev. _____Owens.

Churches without pastors are: Flatts, Mountain Grove, Shortoff, Calvary, Coweeta, Longview, West Franklin, Oak Dale and Pine Grove.

Now, as Macon Baptists close our records of work done this Associational year, may this be done with thankful hearts for all that has been said and done for the on-going and upbuilding of Christ's Kingdom, and yet with saddened hearts for what we may have left undone. Macon is fortunate to have dedicated pastors and leaders. Our associational moderator, Rev. Earl Dendy, who has served two years in this capacity and our Field Worker, Rev. Cecil Frady, have worked faithfully and prayerfully to lead the committee, the officers and pastors to take a good look at the things we need to be doing, and instill in all of us a keen desire to put our shoulders to the work which needs so much to be done.

Hopefully, when another associational year's work closes, Macon Baptists can courageously say that each church has moved to much higher planes of Biblical understanding of Christian service and ministry in every area of Christ's Kingdom work. The fields are white and ready to harvest. Are we ready and willing to work?

Respectfully submitted, May McCoy, Historian

44. The congregation stood in a moment of silence in memorial to our Beloved Dead. Rev. M. I. Brock read the names of our Beloved Dead.

IN MEMORIAM

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BRIARTOWN:
- Dave L. Owenby (Deacon)
- Vonnie Haney
- Lavada May
- Harry Roper
- Jess Cross
- Lalla Wilson
- Noel Cochran

BUCK CREEK:
- Carl Bolick
- Violet Tilson

BURNINGTOWN:
- Dalton Smith (Deacon)
- Annie Parrish
- Mamie Hall

CARTOOGECHAYE:
- Turner Guffie
- Cecily Davis

COWEE:
- Margie Blanton
- Eldridge Blanton
- Frank Queen
- Minnie Gibson
- Arnold Clark
- Wayne Duvall
- Vonnie Jones
- William Dalton
- Carl J. Neal

COWEETA:
- J. P. Stiles

FRANKLIN FIRST:
- Billy Reece
- Keith Bryant
- Lyman C. Higdon
- Woodrow Baker
- Earl Mashburn
- Walter Dean (Deacon)
- Mrs. Wade Cunningham
- Grace Carpenter

GOLD MINE:
- Frances McClure
- Thurman Reed

HIGHLANDS FIRST:
- William Potts
- Florence Speed

HOLLY SPRINGS:
- Ad Kinsland
- Lewis Moses
- Jess Green

IOTLA:
- Daisy Roper
- James McCall
- Absolum Edwards
- Newell Swafford

LIBERTY:
Buel Mason (Deacon)
Mrs. John Hedden
Mrs. Jim Gibson

NEWMAN'S CHAPEL:
C.S. Sams

OAK GROVE:
Bill Lakey

PINE GROVE:
Lela Bowers
Leacie Houston

PLEASANT HILL:
Spurgeon Ledford

RIDGECREST:
Elsie Smith
Charlotte Snyder
Harold Morgan

ROSE CREEK:
Callie Barnes

SHORTOFF:
Rev. Floyd Dendy

SUGAR FORK:
Ferman Stewman

TELLICO:
Larel Dehart
Emaline Woody

WATAUGA:
George V. Brendle

WELLS GROVE:
Mrs. Tom Jennings

WEST FRANKLIN:
Carl Blaine

WINDY GAP:
Mrs. John Tallent

45. Mr. Fred Corbin led the group in singing "I'll Go Where You Want me to Go".

46. The closing inspirational message was brought by Rev. C.C. Welch.

47. The moderator appointed Rev. Bill Shields, Rev. Bill Smith, Rev. Harvey Stewart, Lawerence Long, Fred Bryson, to serve on the nominating committee.

48. The associational officers for 1973-74 were installed by the moderator.

49. The Benediction was delivered by Glenn Whitley.

Adjourned 2:30 P.M.

Earl Dendy, Moderator
Mary Justice, Clerk

Statistical Tables

Table A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Year Ending June 30, 1973
(Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Clerk Mrs. Linda P. Cabe

Address Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (Including Zip Code)	1 County	2 Year Org. as Church	3 Location (1=Open Country; 2=Village (under 500 pop.); 3=Town (500-2499); 4=Small City (2500-9,999); Medium City (10,000-49,999): 5=Downtown; 6=Neighborhood; 7=Suburban; Large City (50,000 or more): 8=Downtown; 9=Inner Suburban; 0=Suburban)	Services held twice on Sun.? Y	Services held twice on Sun.? N	11 Total Baptisms	12 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	13 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	14 Present resident members	15 Present non-resident members	16 Grand total present members	17 No. members rec. from non-Baptist Churches	18 No. members lost to non-Baptist churches	23 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	24 Value of church property including pastor's home	25 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Bethel Hill	Ralph Postell, Rt. 1, Andrews 28901	Macon	1954	1		X	5	7	2	65	20	85	0	0	$	$ 6,000	$ 310
Black Mountain	Claude Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	Macon	1940	1	X		11	1	0	78	25	103	0	0	12,000	13,000	None
Briartown	Kenneth Jenkins, Bryson City	Macon	1863	1		X	6	3	19	80	145	225	0	0		10,000	None
Buck Creek	Open	Macon	1910	1		X	0	8	4	103	73	176	0	0			None
Burningtown	C. C. Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	Macon	1839	1		X	5	2	3	132	57	189	0	0		36,000	None
Calvary	Open	Macon	1944	1		X	0	5	1	47	23	70	0	1		8,000	None
Cartoogechaye	Jack King, 200 Grandview Cr., Waynesville	Macon	1831	1		X	1	6	6	100	39	139	3	0		35,000	
Clear Creek	Odell Owens, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga.	Macon	1879	1		X	0	0	4	84	24	108	0	0		44,000	None
Cowee	Glen Whitley, Rt. 7, Box 111, Franklin 28734	Macon	1828	1	X		12	8	13	255	97	352	0	3	10,000	123,488	10,079
Coweeta		Macon	1831	1	X		0	4	3	124	54	178	0	0			
Ellijay																	
Fairview																	
Flats																	
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	Macon	1961	1	X		0	1	0	57	0	57	0	0		10,000	2,662
Franklin, First		Macon	1822	4	X		16	15	37	550	239	789	3	3	14,500	450,000	20,000
Franklin, West		Macon	1961	1	X		0	4	6	110	6	116	0	0		40,000	
Gold Mine	W. K. Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	Macon	1861	1		X	1	1	6	81	51	132	1	0			
Higdonville	Gene Hawkins Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	Macon	1950	1		X	3	2	1	72	26	98	0	0		30,000	
Highlands, First	Harvey L. Stewart, Box 625, Highlands 28741	Macon	1896	3	X		4	3	9	343	153	496	0	1	15,000	150,000	
Holly Springs	Judson Hall, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	Macon	1914	1	X		0	6	5	186	34	220	0	1	50,000	100,000	17,230
Iotla	Millard T. Brock, Rt. 3, Bx. 247, Franklin	Macon	1903	1	X		7	7	7	349	112	461	0	0	35,000	100,000	
Kettle Rock																	
Liberty	Clarence Martin, Depot St., Franklin 28734	Macon	1874	1	X		0	3	6	187	130	317	0	0		20,000	
Longview	W. A. Cloer, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	Macon	1942	1			4	4	4	148	80	228	0	0		50,000	
Mashburn Branch	Howard Willis, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	Macon	1952	1			3		1	98	4	102					
Mount Hope	Billy Smith, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	Macon	1886	1	X		15	8	2	185	104	289			25,000	85,000	34,000
Mountain Grove	Verlin Bryson, Cullowhee	Macon	1906	1	X		3	1		19	16	35				2,000	
Aquone	Ralph Postell, Red Marble Rd., Andrews	Macon	1942	1	X		8	12	2	62	28	90	1			15,000	
Newman's Chap.	Earl Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	Macon	1920	1	X		8	4	9	167	12	179				25,000	
Oak Dale	Wallace Tallent, Franklin 28734	Macon	1888	1			0		3	61	61	122					
Oak Grove	Ernie Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 498, Franklin	Macon	1888	1	X		1	2	2	199	78	277					
Pine Grove	L. E. Angel, Franklin 28734	Macon		1		X	0	1	4	74	136	210				22,000	300
Pleasant Hill	Alton Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	Macon	1888	1	X		0		3	180	144	324				18,000	
Prentiss	Wallace Tallent, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	Macon	1914	1		X	1	2	2	71	65	136				20,000	
Ridgecrest	Guy Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 294, Franklin 28734	Macon	1925	1	X		10	6	12	133	118	251				35,000	
Rose Creek	Fred R. Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	Macon	1940	1	X		4		3	75	63	138		2			
Shortoff	None	Macon	1935	1		X	5		3	45		45				30,000	
Sugarfork	James Crayton, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	Macon	1836	1	X		14	9	12	164	53	217				16,000	
Tellico	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	Macon	1884	1		X	1	1	3	67	84	151		2		5,000	
Tesenta	None reported	Macon															
Union Hill	S. J. Waters, Star Route, Topton 28781	Macon	1892	1			0			46	54	100		1			
Walnut Creek	None	Macon	1951	1	X		2			20	39	59				20,000	
Watauga	J. S. Cunningham, Rt. 7, Box 160, Franklin	Macon	1886	1	X		9	6	3	149	120	269				40,000	
Wells Grove	Judson Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	Macon		1		X	1	4	6	90	36	126				25,000	17,000
West Union	Paul Morgan, Rt. 7, Box 163, Franklin 28734	Macon	1962	1	X		0		1	27	5	32					
White Oak Flats	Carl Roper, Topton 28781	Macon	1901	1	X		13	3	13	170	105	275					
Windy Gap	Grady Norman, 11 Dillardtown Rd., Sylva	Macon	1949	1	X		0	2	1	97	36	133				30,000	
	TOTALS						173	145	215	5,350	2749	8,099	8	14	$ 161,500	$ 1,613,498	$ 101,581

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Association MACON Year Ending June 30, (Month & Day) 1973

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Sunday School Director Charles Cabe

Address 324 Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS &ADDRESS	47 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under not in school)	48 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	49 Youth enrol. (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	50 Young Adult enrol (18-29 yrs. or H.S graduation to 29yrs)	51 Adult enrol (30-59 yrs. or 30 to retirement)	52 Senior Adult enrol (60 and over or retirement and over)	53 Adults Away enrolment	54 Homebound Units enrolment	55 General Officers enrolment	56 Enrol. of mission(s) of Church	57 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	58 Average weekly S.S. attendance	59 No. Bible Study Fellowship Classes	60 Bible Study Fellowship enrol.	61 January Bible Study enrol.	62 Weekday Bible Study enrol.	63 Bus attendance	64 Church V.B.S. enrolment	65 Mission V.B.S enrolment	66 Total V.B.S. enrolment
Bethel Hill	James Morgan, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	16	11	57	61	0	0	0	0	0	95	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Black Mountain	Mitchell Rowland, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	4	3	3	4	12	4	20	0	5	0	55	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briartown	Gene Trammell, Andrews 28901	5	5	14	4	28	6	4	0	0	0	74	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	Glen Holland, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	8	25	25	0	0	0	0	0	66	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burningtown	Bob Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	8	10	22	20	25	15	0	0	10	0	110	52	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	29
Calvary	Randal Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	4	2	4	5	17	4	0	0	0	0	36	26	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	33
Cartoogechaye	Gene Huscusson, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	7	10	16	28	15	19	0	0	0	0	95	95	0	0	27	0	0	40	0	40
Clear Creek	Walter Wilson, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	2	0	6	3	13	10	0	0	7	0	36	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	Ralph Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 340, Franklin	15	44	33	22	70	20	5	0	3	0	212	125	1	26	93	0	0	85	0	85
Coweeta	Claude Curtis, Otto 28763	8	7	7	15	24	6	2	0	16	0	85	53	0	0	0	0	0	41	0	41
Ellijay																					
Fairview																					
Flats																					
Franklin, East	Mary Collier, 28 Wilson Ave., Franklin 28734	5	6	13	0	9	0	0	0	5	0	38	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	J.C. Jacobs, 389 Harrison Ave., Franklin	39	64	63	65	98	80	0	0	5	0	414	200	0	0	70	0	0	116	0	116
Franklin, West	Ronald Presley, Rt. 1, Box 609, Franklin	7	16	9	12	16	6	0	0	2	0	68	45	0	0		0	0	26	0	26
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 1, Box 775, Franklin	7	5	10	18	10	15	0	0	7	0	72	54	0	0	0	0	0	48	0	48
Higdonville	Gene Stamey, Franklin 28734	6	10	8	5	32	14	0	0	0	0	75	42	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	27
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, P.O. Box 28, Scaly Mt. 28775	18	28	37	15	38		0	0	4	0	140	70	0	0	0	0	0	75	0	75
Holly Springs	Nobel Garrett, 36 Hillside St., Franklin	19	10	10	8	30	21	0	0	3	0	101	80	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	46
Iotla	Wm. Houston, Rt. 3, Box 238, Franklin	9	23	30	21	60	23	0	0	7	0	173	90	0	0	30	0	0	44	0	44
Kettle Rock																					
Liberty	Dennis Freeman, Rt. 3, Bryson City	15	29	17	11	43	15	0	0	14	0	144	94	0	71	32	25	0	71	0	71
Longview	Kenneth Jones, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10	12	36	18	30	32	0	0	9	0	147	76	0	0	0	0	0	60	0	60
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	6	7	7	18	15	26	0	0	0	0	78	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	19	38	22	27	36	13	0	0	2		157	87	0	0	0	0	0	123	0	123
Mountain Grove	Frank Dills, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	1	2	1	11	4	0	0	2	0	21	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aquone	Dois Waters, Topton	8	10	12		26	6	0	0	0	0	62	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newman's Chapel	Max McGuire, Otto	10	10	14	25	18	22	0	0	2	0	101	75	0	0	0	0	0	74	0	74
Oak Dale	Jimmy Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	10	10	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Ed Guy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	8	9	8	12	12	15	0	0	6	0	70	65	1	16	16	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	4	6	6	10	20	15	0	0	2	0	63	41	1	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Tommy Bateman, Franklin 28734	8	8	6	22	60	6	0	0	0	0	110	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss	Harry Erabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	9	8	7	23	15	0	0	6	0	73	40	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	30
Ridgecrest	Eugene Pickens, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	5	6	9	9	23	13	0	0	3	0	68	53	1	20	0	0	0	43	0	43
Rose Creek		0	5	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	35	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shortoff	James L. Lowe, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	6	4	2	3	15	11	0	0	0	0	41	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sugarfork	Alex Deal, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	21	15	15	19	15	15	0	0	23	0	123	93	0	0	0	0	0	69	0	69
Tellico	Arlon Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	3	8	2	3	15	9	84	5	4	0	42	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tesenta																					
Union Hill	Arnold Passmore, Star Rt., Box 341, Topton	0	5	0	14	18	5	0	0	0	0	42	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	7	7	3	2	1	0	8	0	28	20	1	13	0	0	0	12	0	12
Watauga	Ted Burnett, Rt. 7, Box 44, Franklin 28734	18	22	12	22	37	11	0	0	7	0	129	80	0	0	25	0	10	83	0	83
Wells Grove	Cliff Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	6	13	14	21	40	10	0	0	2	0	106	71	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	45
West Union	Pearley Kirkland, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White Oak Flats	David Solesbee, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Windy Gap	Edgar Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	9	2	4	9	13	11	5	10	6	0	69	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	324	478	532	587	1,081	499	121	15	170	0	3,793	2513	5	161	293	25	10	1220	0	1220

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Church Training Director John Rogers

Address Rt. 1, Highlands 28741

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	67 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under not in school)	68 Children enrol. (6-11 years of grades 1-6)	69 Youth enrol. (12-17 yrs., or grades 7-12)	70 Young Adult enrol. (18-29 yrs. or H.S. graduation to 29 yrs	71 Adult enrolment (30-59 yrs. or 30 to retirement)	72 Senior Adult enrol. (60 and over or retirement and over)	73 General officers enrolment	74 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	75 Total ongoing C.T. enrol.	76 Average weekly C. T. attendance	77 New Member Orientation: Registration	78 New Member Orientation: Completed	79 Church Leader Training: Registration	80 Church Leader Training: Completed	81 Church Leader Training: Projects	82 Member Training Projects: Registration	83 Member Training Projects: Completed
Bethel Hill																		
Black Mountain																		
Briartown																		
Buck Creek																		
Burningtown	Ruth Simonds, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	3	9	5	0	9	4	6	0	36	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary																		
Cartoogechaye	Jack Randall, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	6	4	9	12	10	0	0	41	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clear Creek																		
Cowee	Roy Tippett, Rt. 4, Box 763, Franklin 28734	6	14	18	10	16	14	2	0	80	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coweeta	Larry Shope, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	3	6	5	8	10	4	2	0	38	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ellijay																		
Fairview																		
Flats																		
Franklin, East	Howard Plemens, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First																		
Franklin, West	Linda McKay, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734																	
Gold Mine	Richard McClure, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	3	3	6	9	5	4	5	0	35	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Higdonville	Ray Young, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3	6	7		10	e			32	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highlands, First																		
Holly Springs	Frank Plummer, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	3	6	2	4	15	e	2	0	38	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iotla	Doris Lynch, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																	
Kettle Rock																		
Liberty	Spurgeon Freeman, Rt. 3, Bryson City	6	9	11	17	30	6	8	0	87	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longview	Linda Fisher, Franklin 28734	0	4	4	5	12	3	3	0	31	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Howard Mincey, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	3	6	14	7		11	1		42	34							
Mount Hope	Richard Burnette, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734		16	9	2	8	3	1		39	27							
Mountain Grove																		
Aquone																		
Newman's Chapel	Weaver Fox, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	3	8	5	4	12		3		35	25							
Oak Dale																		
Oak Grove	Willard Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734			4	2	6	5	5		22	19							
Pine Grove																		
Pleasant Hill																		
Prentiss	Rilla Williamson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	3	9	7	3	11	4			37	20							
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Bruce Buchanan, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	3	6	4	8	14	4			39	22							
Rosecreek																		
Shortoff																		
Sugarfork																		
Tellico																		
Tesenta																		
Union Hill																		
Walnut Creek																		
Watauga	Peggy Elders, Rt. 7, Box 862, Franklin 28734	7	6	5	5	9	4	10		46	25							
Wells Grove	Don Francisco, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734		5	10	8	13	1	3		40	40							
West Union																		
White Oak Flats																		
Windy Gap																		
	TOTALS	46	120	120	101	199	89	51	0	726	469	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC

Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director John Johnson

Address Hemlock Hills, Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	84 Preschool enrol. (5 years and under - not in School)	85 Children enrol. (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	86 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	87 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	88 Handbell ringers enrolment	89 Vocal ensemble enrolment	90 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	91 General officers enrolment	92 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	93 Total ongoing church music enrolment	94 Average weekly church music attendance	95 Church music study group enrolment
Bethel Hill Black Mountain Briartown Buck Creek Burningtown Calvary	Austin Jacobs, Star Route, Topton 28781 Carl Cross, Star Route, Topton 28781 Lucille Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	2	5	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	21	15	0
Cartoogechaye Clear Creek Cowee Coweeta Ellijay Fairview	Steve Reeves, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734 Dolly McCall, Rt. 2, Box 63, Highlands 28741 John Johnson, P.O. Box 365, Franklin 28734 Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Box 188, Otto 28763	0 0	13 3	10 4	18 12	0 0	0 0	0 0	5 0	0 0	46 19	36 15	0 0
Flats Franklin, East Franklin, First Franklin, West Gold Mine	Orville Wike, Rt. 68, Cullowhee 28723 Tommie Norman, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734 Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Box 775, Franklin 28734	0 0	25 4	40 3	30 14	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 1	0 0	98 22	70 0	0 0
Higdonville Highlands, First Holly Springs Iotla Kettle Rock	Fred Corbin, Box 700, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734 Mary Justice, Rt. 7, Box 435, Franklin 28734 Connie Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 881, Franklin 28734												
Liberty Longview Mashburn Branch Mount Hope Mountain Grove	Mrs. Roy Jones, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734 Zeb Hall, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734 Dale Barrett, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734 Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734 Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734												
Aquone Newman's Chapel Oak Dale Oak Grove Pine Grove	Ruth Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734 Luetta Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734 Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Box 526, Franklin 28734	3	5	4	12				4		28	20	
Pleasant Hill Prentiss Ridgecrest Rosecreek Shortoff	Benbow Dills, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734 Jean Brendle, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734 Howell Smith, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734 Vic Wood, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741		3	6	12						21	14	
Sugarfork Tellico Tesenta Union Hill Walnut Creek	Arlon Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734 Oscar Passmore, Star Route, Box 341, Topton 28781			5	8 6	1	3		1		8 14	8 12	
Watauga Wells Grove West Union White Oak Flats Windy Gap	Coleen Ledford, Rt. 7, Box 856, Franklin 28734 Jay Jennings, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734 Dwight Waters, Topton 28781 Blanche Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734		10	5 12	15 16				3 3		23 41	15 15	
- 33 -	TOTALS	5	68	95	151	1	3	0	17	0	340	220	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational WMU Director Mrs. Frankie Reynolds

Address Rt. 4, Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES (Include Zip Code)	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
		Number of Organization							Enrolment							
		Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women(18-25yrs H.S. grads-25yrs	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total no. of organizations	Mission Friends (5 yrs. & under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women(18-25yrs H.S. grads-25yrs	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU ongoing enrolment
Bethel Hill																
Black Mountain																
Briartown																
Buck Creek																
Burningtown																
Calvary																
Cartoogechaye		0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	6
Clear Creek																
Cowee		0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	8	7	0	24	3	0	42
Coweeta	Margaret Carpenter, Otto 28763	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	12	5	0	17
Ellijay																
Fairview																
Flats																
Franklin, East																
Franklin, First	Elaine Bradley, Rt. 4, Box 317, Franklin 28734	2	2	0	1	2	0	7	19	15	0	20	30	9	9	93
Franklin, West	Mrs. Louis Cochran, 32 Curtis St., Franklin 28734	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	6	0	0	10	1	1	17
Gold Mine																
Higdonville																
Highlands, First	Edna Penland, P.O. Box 999, Highlands 28741	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	26	10	0	28	0	0	64
Holly Springs	Elizabeth Hall, Rt. 7, Box 400, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	2	0	11
Iotla	Mrs. M.I. Brock, Rt. 3, Box 247, Franklin 28734	1	1	0	1	1	4	8	15	22	0	10	18	5	0	70
Kettle Rock																
Liberty																
Longview	Patsy Drake, Franklin 28734															
Mashburn Branch																
Mount Hope	Mrs. Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	16	9	0	9	7	0	48
Mountain Grove																
Aquone																
Newman's Chapel																
Oak Dale																
Oak Grove																
Pine Grove																
Pleasant Hill																
Prentiss																
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Jeter Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	12	0	0	16
Rose Creek																
Shortoff																
Sugarfork																
Tellico																
Tesenta																
Union Hill																
Walnut Creek																
Watauga																
Wells Grove																
West Union																
White Oak Flats																
Windy Gap																
- 34 -		4	7	4	2	11	4	32	41	93	30	33	155	32	0	384

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Brotherhood Director

Address

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	111 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	112 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	113 RA leader and committee	114 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	115 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	116 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	117 Other Baptist men groups	118 Brotherhood director	119 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	120 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Bethel Hill Black Mountain Briartown Buck Creek Burningtown Calvary											
Cartoogechaye Clear Creek Cowee Coweeta Ellijay Fairview	Thomas S. Fouts, P.O. Box 251, Franklin 28734	8	11	2	0	14	0	0	1	0	36
Flats Franklin, East Franklin, First Franklin, West Gold Mine		15	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Higdonville Highlands, First Holly Springs Iotla Kettle Rock											
Liberty Longview Mashburn Branch Mount Hope Mountain Grove		11	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Aquone Newman's Chapel Oak Dale Oak Grove Pine Grove											
Pleasant Hill Prentiss Ridgecrest Rosecreek Shortoff											
Sugarfork Tellico Tesenta Union Hill Walnut Creek											
Watauga Wells Grove West Union White Oak Flats Windy Gap											
- 35 -	TOTALS	34	18	7	0	14	0	0	1	0	74

Table G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES AND STEWARDSHIP Year Ending June 30, 1973 Month & Day

Association MACON State N. CAROLINA

Associational Treasurer Mrs. Barbara Ledford

Address Rt. 1, Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	19	20				21	22	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
		Number of tithers	Budget promo. or emphasis used during year: None	Forward Program	Other	Coop. Prog. goal as % total budget	Assoc. missions goal % total budget		Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church Literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Bethel Hill	Carlene Grant, Bx. 311, Topton 28781	0	X						$ 5,406	$	$ 5,406	$	$ 537	$ 2,283	$ 0	$ 110	$ 1,238	$ 4,168
Black Mountain	Dover Shope, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	5	X						3,651		3,651		1,750	1,600	0	28	125	3,503
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt. Bx. 293, Topton	4	X						4,474		4,474	300	1,350	0	0	148	0	1,498
Buck Creek	Flora Houston, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741								2,250		2,250		306	1,247		140	2,136	4,467
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	35	X			10	3		6,521		6,521		2,100			231	470	2,692
Calvary	Mary Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	8	X			.87	63		1,630		1,630		2,100			237		
Cartoogechaye	Marie Dayton, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10		X					13,037		13,037		5,903			506	2,682	9,091
Clear Creek	Griffin Hicks, Highlands 28741	4	X						2,452		2,452		822			15	1,072	1,909
Cowee	John Roper, Rt. 3, Box 1071, Franklin 28734	35	X			3.6	3.1		30,130		30,130		7,700	1,000	9,740	1,905	4,736	25,081
Coweeta	Louise Styles, Rt. 1, Box 188, Otto 28763	10	X			2			3,059		3,059		1,675			280	416	2,371
Ellijay																		
Fairview																		
Flats																		
Franklin, East	Mrs. Marvel Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3	X						3,096		3,096		1,460	0	407	60	486	2,413
Franklin, First	Frankie Jacobs, 389 Harrison Ave., Franklin	80			X	20	3		76,000		76,000		27,000		22,000	3,000	7,000	59,000
Franklin, West	Jean Farmer, 137 Palmer Dr., Franklin	12	X			5	21/2		8,253		8,253		4,500		1,059	213	1,277	7,049
Gold Mine	Gerstle Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741		X			0	0		6,819		6,819		1,080			238	4,571	5,889
Higdonville	Grayson Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734		X			20			7,889		7,889		1,800			347	4,146	6,293
Highlands, First	Edna Crisp, P.O. Box 788, Highlands 28741	10	X			8	4		26,082		26,082		8,155		3,515	1,053	8,475	21,119
Holly Springs	Mr. &Mrs. Paul Ammons, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734		X			6	4		15,448		15,448	17,230	5,276	842		592	1,768	8,478
Iotla	Melvin Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	30	X			10	7		22,282		22,282	5,400	6,924		5,800	387	5,149	18,250
Kettle Rock																		
Liberty	Cecile Gibson, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	12	X						10,973		10,973		4,350	793		394	1,702	7,239
Longview	Zeb Guffie, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	30	X						15,815		15,815		5,920			205	3,517	9,642
Mashburn Branch	V.L. Holland, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734								5,500		5,500		2,945	253		322		3,520
Mount Hope	Mrs. W. N. Dalrynple, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734				X	10	.03		21,000		21,000	35,000	7,000	47,000	2,000	600	2,000	58,600
Mountain Grove	Annabelle Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734		X										495			25	18	538
Aquone	Mrs. Carole Bateman, Star Route, Topton		X						12,000	2,000	14,000			9,120		14	29	9,163
Newman's Chap.	Robert Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537								9,873		9,873		6,126			360	1,172	7,658
Oak Dale	George Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734								4,286		4,286		1,090			77	1,026	2,193
Oak Grove	Mrs. Willard Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	5		X		10			6,836		6,836		4,020	498		353	1,162	6,033
Pine Grove	Aileen Holland, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734		X						6,714		6,714	1,500	1,506	4,936		173	647	7,262
Pleasant Hill	Rebecca Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	15											2,810	3,856			1,388	8,054
Prentiss	Estelle Shook, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	4	X						2,995	11	3,006		1,364	1,254		246	367	3,231
Ridgecrest	Emma Jean Taylor, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	15	X						28,213		28,213	1,290	4,020		1,290	269	3,366	8,945
Rosecreek	Buelon McCall, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734								1,154	971	2,125		639				176	815
Shortoff	Harris Elmore, Highlands 28741		X						4,118		4,118		975	2,181		180	1,428	4,764
Sugarfork	Marie Jennings, 69 Baird Cove Rd., Franklin		X						10,741		10,741		4,792		351	416	1,771	7,330
Tellico	Eva Mae Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin			X		10			1,272		1,272		623			560	623	1,806
Tesenta													613				885	1,498
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton								1,492	140	1,632		895		350	55	260	1,560
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	20	X						14,814		14,814		4,724	1,539		632	4,594	11,489
Watauga	Jim Hedden, Rt. 7, Box 805, Franklin 28734	12	X						10,996	222	11,218		2,480	153	6,172	328	635	9,768
Wells Grove	Jackie Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734								1,009		1,009		554			45	391	990
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734																	
White Oak Flats	Wade Wright, Box 4, Topton 28781	8							3,604		3,604		1,375			57	635	2,067
Windy Gap	Mrs. Grady Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																	
	TOTALS	288							$414,884	$ 3,344	$418,228	$60,720	$139,754	$ 78,555	$ 52,684	$14,686	$73.529	$359,207

Table H MISSION EXPENDITURES Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary) Rev. Cecil Frady

Address P.O. Box 64, Franklin 28734

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145
		Church Sponsored Missions						Other Mission Cause Expenditur								
		Money paid out on new construction during yr.	All other church sponsored mission exp.	Total church sponsored mission exp.	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State Missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (A. Armstrong Easter Offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Mission (Lottie Moon Christmas Off.)	Designated: Christian Ed. (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the Aged	Designated: All other (Bible Soc. Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Bethel Hill	Jerry Owenby, Box 101, Topton 28781	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 40	$ 40	$ 0	$ 0	$ 80	$ 80
Black Mountain	Jack Hodgins, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	35	140	212	212
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt., Box 293, Topton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116	91	20	0	227	227
Buck Creek	Mildred Vaughn, Rt. 1, Box 344, Highlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	45	0	0	115	115
Burningtown	Bill Simonds, Rt. 3, Box 584, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	636	93	10	0	0	0	75	20	10	0	208	844
Calvary	Mrs. Cecil Brown, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 39537	25	0	25	40	30	25	0	25	0	40	25	25	50	220	285
Cartoogechaye	Barbara Southard, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	660	600	0	0	341	0	314	203	0	1,354	2,812	3,472
Clear Creek	Naomi Chastain, Rt. 1, Box 280, Highlands	0	0	0	0	95	0	0	0	0	50	0	60	0	205	205
Cowee	Mrs. Raymond Womack, Rt. 4, Bx. 428, Frank.	0	0	0	1,072	930	42	281	1,320	12	182	75	12	613	3,467	4,539
Coweeta	Maggie Mason, Rt. 2, Bx. 1213, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	140	75	0	10	75	0	75	85	0	0	320	460
Ellijay																
Fairview																
Flats																
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	51	0	0	0	0	25	0	10	0	86	86
Franklin, First	Barbara Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 1327, Franklin	0	0	0	8,000	2,300	300	500	1,600	0	300	300	100	600	6,000	14,000
Franklin, West	Velda McDonald, 33 Green St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	419	120	4	20	75	0	119	0	0	0	338	757
Gold Mine	Roy Lowe, 42 Martha Lane, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	134	60	25	50	85	0	100	100	50	125	595	729
Higdonville	Mrs. Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Box 700, Franklin	0	0	0	1,135	285	0	0	141	0	192	91	17	120	846	1,981
Highlands, First	Louis E. Potts, Box 366, Highlands 28734	0	0	0	1,380	745	72	271	594	0	300	163	50	26	2,221	3,601
Holly Springs	Beckie Garrett, 36 Hillside St., Franklin	0	0	0	489	364	164	154	325	0	1,553	100	130	126	2,916	3,405
Iotla	Mrs. J.H. Williams, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,653	540	97	250	533	0	67	45	0	0	1,332	3,185
Kettle Rock																
Liberty	Sue McConnell, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	445	190	0	0	0	0	140	23	0	60	413	858
Longview	Zeb Guffie, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	2,700	730	0	216	0	0	0	0	0	0	946	3,646
Mashburn Branch	Sarah Belle Angel, Rt. 6, Box 978, Franklin				54	100	20	0	0	0	134	116	0	0	370	424
Mount Hope	Mrs. George Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin	0	0	0	1,800	563	50	237	375	0	100	50	0	0	1,415	3,215
Mountain Grove	Maude Williams, Rt. 5, Box 858, Franklin	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	14	14
Aquone	Willie Mae Jacobs, Aquone 28703															
Newman's Chapel	W.D. Long, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 20537	0	0	0	160	120		378	140	0	144	250	0	0	1,032	1,192
Oak Dale	George H. Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin	0	0	0	0	213	0	0	0	0	98	55	0	0	366	366
Oak Grove	Mrs. Rozell McCoy, Rt. 4, Box 193, Franklin	0	0	0	623	120	0	0	0	0	116	0	0	0	236	859
Pine Grove	Mrs. John Haberman, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	67	101	0	0	168	216
Pleasant Hill	Douglas Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	19	100	0	0	0	0	58	150	0	258	566	585
Prentiss	Betty Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 880, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	7	114	157	157
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Edward Crawford, Rt. 7, Box 562, Frank.	0	0	0	228	424	30	29	32	0	120	35	15	0	685	913
Rose Creek	Della Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	25	0	32	92	220
Shortoff	Harold & Linda Neely, Clear Crk. Rd., Highlands	0	0	0	72	167	0	0	0	0	64	167	85	0	483	555
Sugarfork	Dewitt Thompson, Rt. 5, Box 140, Franklin	0	0	0	85	122	0	0	160	0	133	123	0	0	538	623
Tellico	John Slagle, Rt. 5, Box 470, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	103	8	0	0	0	0	18	27	6	0	58	162
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton															
Walnut Creek	Elmira Hedden, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin	0	0	0	20	45	0	0	0	0	30	30	0	20	125	195
Watauga	Mrs. Ralph Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin	0	0	0	0	295	0	0	0	0	1,472	282	0	1,345	3,394	3,394
Wells Grove	Theresa Roper, P.O. Box 51, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	120	120	0	55	55	0	212	134	0	260	836	956
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	40	0	0	0	60
White Oak Flats	Wade Wright, Box 4, Topton 28781															
Windy Gap	Mrs. Paul Smith, 113 Mashburn St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	170	50	0	12	50	0	0	30	0	0	142	312
		$ 25	$ 0	$ 25	22,385	9,661	$ 839	$ 2,463	$ 5,896	$ 12	$ 6,577	$ 3,064	$ 632	$ 5,223	$34,367	$ 57,085

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

Year Ending June 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Moderator Rev. Earl Dendy

Address Rt. 1, Highlands 28741

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS AND ADDRESSES	26 No. church-type missions started	27 No church-type missions operating	28 No. other-type missions started	29 No. other-type missions operating	30 Does church plan building program?	31 Does church have or observe? Library	32 Recreation staff	33 Day Camp	34 Ministry to Language group	35 Motion picture projector	36 Television program	37 Radio program	38 Christian Life Committee	39 Christian Home Week	40 Witness Training (using WIN)	41 State paper in budget	42 No. of college students enrol. in Sunday School	43 No. of deacons ordained during the year	44 No. of active deacons	45 Kindergarten enrolment	46 Day Care enrolment
Bethel Hill						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			3		
Black Mountain	Bryson Hodgins, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			3		
Briartown						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		2	8		
Buck Creek	Clyde J. Vaughn, Rt. 1, Box 344, Highlands 28741					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			5		
Calvary	Jerry Brown, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			6		
Cartoogechaye	Roy Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	3	3			Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N			6		
Clear Creek	Frank McCall, Rt. 2, Box 63, Highlands 28741					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Cowee						Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			9		
Coweeta	Grady Styles, Rt. 1, Otto 28763					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			6		
Ellijay																						
Fairview																						
Flats																						
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Box 1105, Franklin					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Franklin, First	Harold Moore, Hemlock Hills, Franklin 28734					N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N		1	18		
Franklin, West	Tommie Norman, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734					Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		2	5		
Gold Mine						Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			4		
Higdonville	Bill C. Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y			7		
Highlands, First	Glenn A. Schuler, Rt. 7, Highlands 28741					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y			6		
Holly Springs						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y			9		
Iotla	Stanley Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734					N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N			7		
Kettle Rock																						
Liberty	Spurgeon Freeman, Rt. 3, Bryson City					Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			6		
Longview	Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734					Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			8		
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734					N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Mount Hope	Robert Parker, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			8		
Mountain Grove	Fred Fox, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			3		
Aquone	Dallas Rowland, Star Route, Topton 28781					Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		2	3		
Newman's Chapel	David Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 20537					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			3		
Oak Dale	Howard Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Oak Grove	Frank Browning, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734					N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			4		
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			5		
Pleasant Hill	Dillard Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Prentiss	Jimmie Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 880, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			6		
Ridgecrest	Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734					N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N			10		
Rose Creek	Furman Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			5		
Shortoff						Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Sugarfork						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N					
Tellico	Earl Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin 28734					N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			2		
Tesenta																						
Union Hill						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			5		
Walnut Creek						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Watauga	Gene Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			6		
Wells Grove						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			4		
West Union						N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
White Oaks Flats	Clayton Bateman, Topton 28781					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
Windy Gap	Thad Wilson, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734					N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					
		3	3																7	180		

HISTORICAL RECORD
North Carolina, Macon County Baptist Association
Organized in 1904

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1904	Franklin	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	J. A. Brendel
1905	Sugarfork	J. W. Kesterson	H. D. Dean	J. W. Watson
1906	Briartown	W. Bradley	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1907	Cartoogechaye	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	A. S. Solesby
----	----------	----------	H. D. Dean	J. R. Pendergrass
1908	Coweeta	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	T. C. King
1909	Burningtown	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1910	Watauga	F. Morgan	A. C. Hurst	T. J. Vinson
1911	Liberty	T. C. Bryson	A. C. Hurst	R. P. McCracken
1912	Pine Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	F. M. Morgan
1913	Oak Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	B. S. West
1914	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. T. Potts
1915	Pleasant Hill	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	R. T. Vann
1916	Mount Hope	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1917	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. L. Bradley
1918	Prentiss	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. C. Owens
1919	Sugar Fork	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1920	Holly Springs	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	J. A. Bryson
1921	Burningtown	J. A. Bryson	Robert Ramsey	D. C. McCoy
1922	Franklin	R. P. McCracken	Robert Ramsey	W. L. Bradley
1923	Nanahala	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	G. A. Cloer
1924	Watauga	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. L. Kinsland
1925	Tellico	H. D. Dean	T. C. Bryson	W. R. Rickman
1926	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	E. N. Gardner
1927	Holly Springs	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1928	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1929	Ridge Crest	W. M. Lee	R. M. Ledford	W. E. Abernathy
1930	Sugarfork	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1931	Pleasant Hill	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1932	Pine Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. F. Burrell
1933	Briartown	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1934	Franklin	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. L. Bradley
1935	Oak Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. R. Rickman
1936	Rainbow Springs	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. F. Mayberry
1937	Coweeta	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	C. F. Rogers
1938	Cartoogechaye	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. G. Benfield
1939	Clear Creek	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	M. A. Love
1940	Ellijay	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. W. Williams
1941	Newman Chapel	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1942	Burningtown	C. C. Welch	R. M. Ledford	G. A. Cloer
1943	Watauga	C. C. Welch	S. J. Smith	T. N. Carter
1944	Goldmine	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. C. Scruggs
1945	Holly Springs	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. F. Marchman
1946	Mount Hope	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	J. I. Vinson
1947	Cowee	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	H. E. Marchman
1948	Highlands	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	C. E. Parker
1949	Ridge Crest	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	Paul Nix
1950	Sugarfork	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	E. N. Holden
1951	Franklin	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	M. W. Chapman
	Watauga	----------	----------	W. L. Sorrells
1952	Oak Grove	H. H. Stocktor	Clyde Drake	John Corbitt
	Iotla	----------	----------	C. T. Taylor
1953	Newman's Chapel	W. L. Sorrells	----------	Arvil Taylor
	Tellico	----------	Vernon Higdon	Frank Reed
1954	Longview	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
	Ellijay	----------	----------	John Buell

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HISTORICAL REOCRD (continued):

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1955	Higdonville	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	L. Eugene Walter
	Mt. Hope	----------	----------	----------
1956	Burningtown	----------	----------	W. A. Cloer
	Iotla	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
1957	Watauga	M. C. Wyatt	Vernon Higdon	Clyde Rhinehart
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	----------
1958	Liberty	L. Eugene Walter	Mrs. J. Campbell	Doyle Miller
	Wells Grove	----------	----------	----------
	Prentiss	----------	----------	Lee Crawford
1959	Wells Grove	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	R. R. Standley
	Holly Springs	----------	----------	J. H. Propst, Jr.
1960	Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	L. A. Howard
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	Thad R. Dowdle
1961	Pine Grove	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. J. Campbell	Clyde W. Collins
	Iotla	----------	----------	Paul M. Sorrells
1962	Sugar Fork	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Judson Hall
	Coweeta	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Otto Parham
1963	Gold Mine	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Robert L. Clark
	Highlands	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	R. C. Bailey
1964	Windy Gap	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	Carl E. Sizemore
	West Franklin	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	L. C. Pinnix
1965	Cartoogechaye	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Gene Southard
	Ridge Crest	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Guy Duvall
1966	Oak Grove	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Clyde Collins
	Ellijay	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Cecil Frady
1967	Watauga	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Bill Shields
	Wells Grove			Earl Dendy
1968	East Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Pleasant Hill	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. Roy Smith
1969	Mashburn Branch	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	Mack Reed
	Mt. Hope	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	John R. Willis
1970	Newman Cahpel	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	M. I. Brock
	Holly Springs	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	Cecil Frady
1971	Cowee	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
	Longview	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
1972	Higdonville	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jack King
	Burningtown	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jim Crayton
1973	Sugar Fork	Earl Dendy	Mrs. Linda Cabe	Glenn Whitley
	First Highlands	Earl Dendy	Mary Justice	Gene Hawkins

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The next Annual Night Session of the Association will be held with the Acquone Baptist Church, Nantahala and the afternoon and night session with the Holly Springs Baptist Church on August 14-15, 1975.

Moderator ---------- Rev. Judson Duvall

Clerk ---------- Mrs. Mary Justice

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

OFFICERS

Moderator	Rev. Judson Duvall
Vice Moderator	Rev. Gene Hawkins
Treasurer	Mrs. Elizabeth Mason
Clerk	Mrs. Mary Justice
Historian	Miss May McCoy

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Sunday School Director	Cliff Cook
Associate Director	
Secretary	Gladys Jennings
Pianist	Susan Seay
Chorister	Jay Jennings
Superintendent of Training	Rev. Eugene Ridley
Superintendent of Evangelism	Rev. Cecil Frady
Superintendent of Extension	Howard Moore
Superintendent Vacation Bible School	Mrs. Janet Long

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Adults and Up	Mrs. Cliff Cook
Young People 12-17	Mrs. Jean Frady
Children 6-11	Mrs. M. I. Brock
Pre-School - Birth-5	Miss Millie Drake

CHURCH TRAINING OFFICERS

Director	John Rogers
Associate Director	Roy F. Lowe
Secretary	Mrs. Lucille McClure
Pianist	Mrs. Elaine Mason
Chorister	Mr. John Johnson
Pastor Advisor	Rev. Cecil Frady
Adults	Mrs. Jean Frady
Youth	Richard McClure
Children	Mrs. Clyde Drake
Pre-School	Mrs. Linda Fisher

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS

Director	Mrs. Mamie Raby
Associate Director	Mrs. Louie Cochran
Baptist Women	Mrs. Frances Parker
Young Baptist Women	Mrs. Linda Cabe
Acteen Director	Miss Millie Drake
Girls In Action	Miss Kathy Parker
Mission Friends	Mrs. Patsy Drake
Social Chairman	Mrs. Zena P. Brogden
Publicity Chairman	Mrs. Mary Justice
Secretary & Treasurer	Mrs. John Campbell

NOMINATING COMMITTEE:
Rev. Alton Dendy
Rev. Claude Ledford
Rev. Roy Lowe
Orville Parker
Earl Justice

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE:
Rev. Jesse Cunningham
Rev. Bill Shields
Rev. Alton Dendy

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:
Weaver Fox
Rev. Harvey Stewart
Zeb Cabe
Rev. Glenn Whitley
Rev. Earl Dendy
Rev. Alton Dendy
Victor Teague

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL AGENCIES:

Children's Homes	Roy Rickman
Baptist Hospital	Bruce Bryant
Homes for Aging	John Roper
Christian Education	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Biblical Recorder	Mrs. Edd Brogden
Cooperative Program	Swann Elliott
Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
Ministers Retirement	Rev. C. C. Welch

COMMITTEE ON PASTORLESS CHURCHES:
Missions Committee

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES:
Moderator, Vice Moderator, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Field Worker, WMU Director, Brotherhood Director.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:
Rev. C. C. Welch
Rev. Earl Dendy
Rev. Bill Shields
Cliff Cook
Marshall Fouts

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:
Mrs. Cliff Cook
Mrs. Clyde Kinsland

MUSIC COMMITTEE:
John Johnson

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE:
Fred Stiles
Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
Rev. Alton Dendy

TRUSTEES:
Charles R. Southard
H. H. Plemmons
Charles Cabe

PROGRAM AND PLACE COMMITTEE:
Moderator
Vice Moderator
Field Worker
Two Laymen

TRUETT CAMP COMMITTEE:
Rev. Judson Hall
Rev. Andrew Cloer

MESSENGERS

AQUONE: Ralph Postell, Doyce Waters, Dwight Waters, Wendell Bateman
BETHEL HILL: Ralph Postell
BLACK MOUNTAIN: Dover Shope, John Murphy, Bryson Hodgins
BRIARTOWN: Gene Trammel, Mrs. Gene Trammel, Ronald Douthit
BUCK CREEK: Glenn Holland, Kenneth Holland, Furman Peak
BURNINGTOWN: Bronce Roper, Mrs. Robert Parrish, Ralph Tallent, Gorman Raby
CALVARY: Claude Ledford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nagle
CARTOOGECHAYE: Roy Southard, Dillard Southard, J. D. Dayton, Robert Solsebee, Nat Davis
CLEAR CREEK: Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilson, Naomi Chastain, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCall, Walter Wilson
COWEE: Roy Tippett, Mrs. Clarence Mason, Rev. Eddie Mason, Roy Ramsey, Charles Cabe
COWETTA: Louis Stiles, Blanche Bateman, Nora Bell Carpenter
ELLIJAY: Irene Adams, Sue Bishop, Peggy Huges
FLATS: Jerry Kiley, Lloyd Williams, David Zoellner
FRANKLIN-EAST: None
FRANKLIN-FIRST: Mrs. Ben Stewart, Mrs. Jessie Ware, Mrs. R. M. Rimmer, Miss May McCoy, Mrs. Roy Kinsland, H. H. Plemmons, Phil Newton, Verlon Swafford, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell
FRANKLIN-WEST: Ron Pressley, Mike Arnold, Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Eleanor Cochran
HIGDONVILLE: Gene Hawkins, Bill Higdon, Fred Corbin
HIGHLANDS: H. L. Stewart, J. L. Hicks, Zeb Cabe
HOLLY SPRINGS: Don Seagle, Jim Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Justice
IOTLA: John Campbell, George Evans, Mrs. Paul Swafford, Rev. and Mrs. M. I. Brock
LIBERTY: Earl Semons, Dennis Freeman, Wiley Shepherd, Nancy Shepherd
LONGVIEW: Mrs. Floy Ramey, Mrs. Clyde Drake, Jim Dennison, Mrs. Jim Dennison
MASHBURN BRANCH: Berlon Deal, Howard Mincey
MT. HOPE: J. B. Lenoir, Mrs. M. Neely
NEWMANS CHAPEL: Mr. and Mrs. Max McGuire, John Evans, Weaver Fox, Lester Evans
OAK DALE: None
OAK GROVE: Ernie Sanders, Jewel Copeland, Emma McCoy
PINE GROVE: Steve Stiles, Eldon Owens, Mrs. Eldon Owens
PLEASANT HILL: None
PRENTISS: Mrs. Evelyn Brendle, Mrs. Nell Sanders, Mrs. Katie Shope
RIDGECREST: Mrs. Evelyn Snyder, Mrs. Vernon Higdon, Mrs. Minnie Berry
ROSE CREEK: Bulon McCall, Furman Welch, Henry Passmore, George Southard, Rev. and Mrs. Fred Cook
SHORTOFF: James L. Lowe, Gordon Talley, Bill Lowe, Harris Elmore
SUGARFORK: James Crayton, Harold Crisp, Joe White, Alex Deal
TELLICO: Jud Smith, Clint Cole, Grace Cole, Maude Smith
UNION HILL: None
WALNUT CREEK: Irene Mashburn, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hedden
WATAUGA: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Clouse, Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Cunningham
WELLS GROVE: Mrs. Annie Long, Elizabeth Moore, Doshie Cook, Lawerence Long, Howard Moore, Frank Hunnicutt
WEST UNION: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stamey, Pearley Kirkland, Lee Ledford
WINDY GAP: Donna Duvall, Pollie Ledford, Bedell Smith, Thad Wilson, Edith Wilson, Paul Smith
GOLDMINE: Ray McCall, Johnny Rogers, Neville Owens, Larry Dendy

EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Aquone	Rev. Ralph Postell
Bethel Hill	Rev. Ralph Postell
Black Mountain	Rev. Claude Ledford
Briartown	Rev. Kenneth Jenkins
Buck Creek	Rev. Paul Jones
Burningtown	Rev. Earl Dendy, Bob Bishop
Calvary	Rev. Claude Ledford
Cartoogechaye	Rev. Johnny Raby
Clear Creek	Rev. Eldon Owens
Cowee	Rev. Glenn Whitley, Roy Tippett
Cowetta	Rev. Bobby Crawford
Ellijay	Rev. Walter Clark
Flats	Rev. Truman Ramey
Franklin, First	Rev. Nane Starnes, Harold Moore
Franklin, East	Rev. Harry Garner
Franklin, West	Rev. Andy Cloer, Fred A. Moore
Goldmine	Terry Moffat, Neville Owens
Higdonville	Rev. Gene Hawkins, Fred Corbin
Highlands	Rev. H. L. Stewart
Holly Springs	Rev. Jud Hall, Woodrow Franklin
Iotla	Rev. M. I. Brock, Glenn Campbell
Liberty	Rev. Clarence Martin, Wiley Shepherd
Longview	Wiley Gibson, Don Ledford
Mashburn Branch	Rev. Mack Reed
Mt. Hope	Rev. Eugene Ridley, J. B. Lenoir
Newmans Chapel	Rev. Waymon Lunsford, Weaver Fox
Oak Dale	Rev. Wallace Tallent
Oak Grove	Rev. Ernie Sanders, John Clark
Pine Grove	Rev. L. E. Angel
Pleasant Hill	Rev. Alton Dendy, William McClure
Prentiss	Rev. Jerry L. Davidson
Ridgecrest	Rev. Guy Duvall, Charles Pickens
Rose Creek	Rev. Fred Cook, Beulon McCall
Shortoff	Rev. Roy Lowe
Sugar Fork	Rev. James Crayton, Miss Marie Jennings
Tellico	Rev. Fred Cook
Union Hill	Raymond Wilson
Walnut Creek	Rev. Walter Clark
Watauga	Rev. J. S. Cunningham, Verlon Curtiss
Wells Grove	Rev. Jud Duvall, Lawerence Long
West Union	Rev. Paul Morgan
Windy Gap	Rev. Grady Norman, Edgar Younce

CONSTITUTION

As Amended from Time to Time

ARTICLE I - Name

This Association shall be known as the Macon Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II - Object

The object of this Association shall be:

1. To cultivate a friendly union among the churches for their mutual benefit.
2. To cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention in the promotion of the causes of Associational Missions, State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and such other objects as these conventions may foster.

ARTICLE III - Membership

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Macon County who shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers.

Section 2. This Association shall have the right to determine what churches shall be admitted to its union, and to withdraw fellowship from any, for not complying with its rules or with the Articles of its Constitution and By-Laws, or for violating orthodox principles as set forth and believed by Southern Baptists.

Section 3. Any church desiring membership in the Association will present its request at any regular annual meeting. The request will be referred to a Credential Committee appointed by the Association, which committee, will examine the church's articles of faith, covenant, form of organization and such other matters as deemed necessary. Upon favorable report of the committee at the next annual meeting of the Association, the church may be received into fellowship by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present.

Section 4. It shall be a duty of each church to furnish the Association each year a letter, on a form provided by the clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form; and to send with the letter or by a messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes of the Association. This letter and accompanying money to cover cost of minutes requested shall be in the clerk's hands thirty (30) days prior to annual meeting.

ARTICLE IV - Meetings

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the second Sunday in August. The associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

Section 2. The business of the Association shall be transacted by the pastors of the several churches, and two messengers from each church, together with one additional messenger for every fifty members or fraction thereof above the first fifty, with no church having more than fifteen messengers.

Section 3. This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules as may be adopted, amended or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. "Roberts' Rules of Order" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE V - Officers and Committees

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, and three trustees.

Section 2. The standing Committees of this Association shall be the Executive Committee, the Missions Committee, the Nominating Committee, Credential and Ordination Committee, Evangelism Committee, Program and Place Committee, and such other committees as the body may direct. The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be Ex-Officio members of all standing Committees.

ARTICLE VI - Associational Missionary

Section 1. The Association shall employ an Associational Missionary whose duties are described as follows:

(a) Work with and under the general supervision of the Missions Committee of the Association in maintaining and directing the Associational Program of Missions.

(b) Give guidance, counsel, and assistance whenever possible, and/or as needed to associational officers, organizations, and committees.

(c) Share and distribute information concerning plans and activities of the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention as they relate to the work and program of the churches.

(d) Make himself available to each church and pastor, as his schedule permits, for any service he might render, such as preaching, teaching and counseling.

(e) Administer or execute any other activities that the Association shall direct.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall be called for an indefinite term to serve until the relationship is disolved at the request of either the Missionary or the Association. In either case, at least sixty days notice shall be given of termination of the relationship, unless otherwise mutually agreed, with both the Missionary and the Association seeking to follow the will of God and the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Section 3. The missionary shall be provided with such salary and expenses as the Missions Committee shall recommend with the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VII - Amendments

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the annual meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I - Election of Officers

All general officers of this Association shall be elected at each annual meeting upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee. The terms of office to begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting and to continue until the close of the next annual meeting. Any vacancies occurring in the interim shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II - Duties of Officers

Section 1. THE MODERATOR: The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officers of a deliberative body and shall also serve as chairman of the Executive Committee. He shall serve not more than two years consecutively. He shall appoint during the first session committees to report at the Annual Associational Meeting. These committees are: Resolutions and any other committees.

Section 2. THE VICE-MODERATOR: The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.

Section 3. THE CLERK: The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association and have the same printed and distributed subject to the approval of the Moderator and Treasurer.

Section 4. THE TREASURER: The Treasurer shall preserve all monies paid into the body and pay the same upon the instruction of the Association, or Missions Committee. He shall make a quarterly report to the Executive Committee and an annual report to the Association.

Section 5. THE HISTORIAN: The Historian shall record and keep a record of such items as would be of interest to a future historian, in a book kept for that purpose. He shall keep a file of the Associational minutes.

Section 6. THE TRUSTEES: The Trustees shall be three in number and shall hold title to all properties owned by the Association. No conveyance or deed-of-trust shall be executed affecting the title of said property except upon the instructions of the annual meeting of the Association or the Executive Committee. The Trustees shall serve terms of three years with one-third elected each year.

ARTICLE III - The Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the pastors of the churches of the Association, and one lay member from each church.

Section 2. The lay members shall be elected by the Church and reported to the Association on the Annual Associational Letter. The officers of the Association, heads of Associational Organizations and pastors are automatically on the committee by virtue of the places of leadership they hold in the Association.

Section 3. Duties of the Executive Committee:

(a) To meet quarterly and upon call of the chairman.

(b) To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.

(c) To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational Officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired terms.

(d) To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.

ARTICLE IV - The Missions Committee

Section 1. The Missions Committee shall be composed of four pastors and three laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The pastors shall be elected for a term of two years with one-half the number being elected each year. The laymen shall be elected for a term of three years with one-third of the number being elected each year. The committee shall elect its chairman and secretary each year.

Section 2. Duties of the Missions Committee: To lead in our Associational Missions Program through:

(a) General supervision and guidance of the Associational Mission Program.

(b) Seeking out an Associational Missionary, making nominations in event of vacancy.

(c) Planning a Program of Activities with the Associational Missionary.

(d) The Recommendation of an Associational Budget to the Executive Committee meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Association.

(e) The supervision of the expenditure of the budget.

(f) The enlistment of the churches in the active financial support of the Associational Mission program.

ARTICLE V - The Credential and Ordination Committee

Section 1. The Credential and Ordination Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Credential and Ordination Committee:

(a) Examine applications churches seeking admission into Association.

(b) Make necessary recommendations to the Association.

(c) Encourage all churches to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry.

(d) Upon the invitation of the church conducting the ordination, represent the Association on the examining council.

ARTICLE VI - The Nominating Committee

Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen to be appointed by the Moderator during the first session of each annual Associational Meeting. The first named shall be chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Nominating Committee:

(a) To nominate the general officers of the Association.

(b) To nominate the Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

(c) To nominate the Associational Training Union Director.

(d) To nominate the Orphanage, Hospital, Biblical Recorder, and Baptist Home for the aging representatives.

(e) To nominate Associational Brotherhood president.

(f) To nominate Associational Music Director.

(g) To nominate the standing committees that are to function during the year between the sessions of the Association.

(h) To fill vacancies occuring in any of the standing committees during the year.

Section 3. All other officers are to be recommended by the heads of the organizations and departments to the Nominating Committee.

ARTICLE VII - Committee on Evangelism

Section 1. The Committee on Evangelism shall be composed of three members nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Committee on Evangelism:

(a) Study and keep the Association and trend of Baptism within the Association.

(b) Plan and promote such meetings as will keep the cause of Evangelism before the Association.

ARTICLE VIII - Program and Place Committee

Section 1. This committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary and two laymen.

Section 2. Duties:

(a) This committee shall plan the program of the annual meeting as to time, place, and preacher and all necessary events.

(b) This program shall be presented to the Executive Committee at its last regular meeting before the Association

ARTICLE IX - Reports

All reports to the Annual Associational Meeting are to be in the Associational Missionary's office thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Associational Meeting.

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PROGRAM

SEVENTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "SHARE HIS LOVE"

NIGHT SESSION WITH PINE GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

August 15, 1974 - 7:30 P.M.

7:30	Call to Worship	Moderator
	Hymn No. 211 "Fairest Lord Jesus"	Mr. Johnson
7:35	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. L. E. Angel
	Recognition of Pastors and Visitors	Moderator
	Enrollment & Statistical Report	Mrs. Mary Justice
	Report of Committee on Order of Business	Moderator
7:50	Share His Love Through Missions	
	Associational Missions	Rev. Cecil Frady
	Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
	Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
	State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
	Speaker	Rev. L. J. Morris, State Baptist Convention
8:10	Share His Through Baptist Literature	
	Biblical Recorder Report	Mrs. Edd Brogden
	Speaker	J. Marse Grant, Editor-B.R.
8:25	Woman's Missionary Union Report	Mrs. Mamie Raby
8:35	Hymn No. 149 "Savior Thou Dying Love"	Mr. Johnson
	Business	
	Executive Promotion Committee Report	Moderator
	Treasurer's Report	Mrs. Elizabeth Mason
	Finance Committee Report	Rev. Glenn Whitley
	Missions Committee Report	Rev. Glenn Whitley
	Miscellaneous Business	
8:50	Hymn No. 424 "Take The Name Of Jesus"	Mr. Johnson
	Annual Sermon and Benediction	Rev. Cecil Frady

DAY SESSION WITH WEST FRANKLIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning Session August 16, 1974 - 9:30 A.M.

THEME: "SHARE HIS LOVE"

Piano Meditation

9:30	Hymn No. 363 "Lily of the Valley"	Mr. Johnson
	Scripture, Prayer and Welcome	Rev. Andy Cloer
9:40	Report on Evangelism	Rev. J. S. Cunningham
9:50	Cooperative Program Report	Mr. Swann Elliott
	Speaker	
10:05	Baptist Foundation Report	
	Speaker	

10:15 Hymn No. 19 "Love Divine"---------- Mr. Johnson
10:20 Share His Love Through Social Service
Home For the Aging Report ------- Mr. John Roper
Speaker ----------
Baptist Hospital Report ---------- Rev. Calvin Knight
Children's Home Report ---------- Mr. Roy Rickman
Speaker ---------- Mr. Clyde Morris
11:05 Report on Minister's Retirement ----- Rev. C. C. Welch
11:20 Hymn No. 258 "Jesus Paid It All" ---- Mr. Johnson
11:25 Doctrinal Message ---------- Rev. H. L. Stewart
12:00-1:00 Fellowship and Lunch
Grace for Noon Meal ---------- Rev. Alton Dendy

AFTERNOON SESSION
August 16, 1974 - 1:00 P.M.

1:00 Piano Meditation
Hymn No. 391 "He Keeps Me Singing"- Mr. Johnson
Scripture and Prayer ---------- Rev. Jim Crayton
1:10 Report of Associational Committees -- Rev. Bill Shields
Report of Nominating Committee ----- Rev. Bill Shields
Place and Preacher Committee------- Moderator
1:25 Share His Love Through Education
Christian Education Report ------- Mrs. Charles Cabe
Speaker ---------- Rep. of Gardner Webb College
Fruitland ----------
Seminary Extension Report-------- Mrs. Hyldah Shepherd
Truett Camp Report ---------- Rev. Glenn Whitley
Speaker ----------
Baptist College ----------
2:00 Share His Love Through Associational Programs
Vacation Bible School ---------- Mrs. Mary Powell
G.A. Report ----------
Church Training Report ---------- Mr. John Rogers
Sunday School Report ---------- Mr. Roy Tippett
Music Report ---------- Mr. John Johnson
County Wide Deacon Report -------
2:20 Honoring the Deceased ---------- Rev. Earl Dendy
Report of the Resolutions Committee-- Mrs. Cliff Cook
Mrs. Clyde Kinsland
2:35 Historian Report ---------- Miss May McCoy
2:45 Hymn No. 13 "Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us" -- Mr. Johnson
2:50 Inspirational Message ---------- Rev. Earl Dendy
Installation of Officers for 1974-75 --- Moderator
Benediction ---------- Rev. Claude Ledford

PROCEEDINGS

of the

SEVENTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION

of the

MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "Share His Love"

The Macon Baptist Association met in its seventy-first session with the Pine Grove Baptist Church on Thursday evening, August 15, 1974. Mrs. Elizabeth Hall played a five-minute prelude at the piano while the evening session was gathering.

THURSDAY EVENING - AUGUST 15, 1974

1. The Association was called to order by Moderator Rev. Jud Duvall, at 7:30 P.M.
2. Mr. John Johnson, Associational Music Director, led in singing "Fairest Lord Jesus," with Mrs. Elizabeth Hall at the piano.
3. The host pastor, Rev. L. E. Angel, welcomed the Seventy-first session to Pine Grove Baptist Church. Rev. Angel read John 10:14-15-16 and led in prayer.
4. At this time the moderator extended a welcome to pastors and visitors asking them to stand stating their names and church of their pastorate. Twenty pastors were present. There were no visitors. There were three new pastors present.
5. The report on enrollment and statistics was submitted by Mrs. Mary Justice, clerk. The clerk received 41 letters representing 150 messengers. A roll of the churches was called with those elected by their churches as messengers standing to constitute the governing body of the Associational meeting. The clerk moved the adoption of the statistical summary to be accepted as information. Also moved was acceptance of the attending messengers and other duly appointed messengers who might arrive later to constitute the seventy-first annual session of the Macon Baptist Association. The motion passed and the report was adopted.
6. Rev. Nane Starnes, Pastor First Baptist Church, Franklin, N.C. was recognized and talked about the Pierson Estate, located in West Asheville, N.C. This property has been purchased for a Retirement Home.
7. The printed program was adopted with the necessary modifications to be made.
8. W.M.U. Report prepared by Mrs. Mamie Raby.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The Woman's Missionary Union is now active in eleven churches of the Association. Four churches have all levels.

All the Associational offices are filled.

During the last week in February the Evangelism book "The Cutting Edge" by Gordan Clinard was taught Associational wide at the First Church by ladies of our Woman's Missionary Union.

During Focus week our ladies of WMU did the devotion on Radio Station WFSC.

April 2, 1974 our annual WMU meeting was held at Mt. Hope Baptist

Church our theme was John 1:14. Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Sorrells was the evening speakers. They are missionaries to Brazil. We are thankful for their wonderful testimony. May God continue to bless them. All Churches active in W.M.U. were represented at this annual meeting. We were grateful to Mt. Hope for hosting our meeting.

In May Mrs. Kathy Parker held a Mother and Daughter Banquet for all interested W.M.U. officers and the G.A. Girls and their mothers, it was a wonderful experience for all attending.

The book "YES" was taught associational wide in mid July at the First Baptist Church.

We're looking forward to a good attendance at Fruitland, and praying God's blessings on our Woman's Missionary Union and all work done in His name.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Mamie Raby, W.M.U. President

9. Mr. Johnson led the group in singing "Savior Thou Dying Love."

10. The Association adopted a letter to President Gerald Ford expressing "our deep gratitude for the extraordinary messages that you have delivered ... since you took office. We are indeed grateful for your frankness and the seeming Christian courage you displayed in asking for the sincere prayers of the American people. We pledge you our prayerful support as you seek the wisdom of God to enable you to lead our great country." The letter ended with Psalm 33:12, "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord."

11. The Executive Promotion Committee's report was accepted as information. The moderator spoke to this report.

The Moderator appointed Rev. Alton Dendy, Rev. Claude Ledford Rev. Roy Lowe, Orville Parker, Earl Justice, to serve on the nominating committee.

12. Mrs. Elizabeth Mason spoke to Treasurer's Report and report was adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year - July 1, 1973 through June 30, 1974

Amount Brought forward from previous year $1,336.65

Contributions	Assn. Miss.	Home	Minutes	Paving	Other
Aquone ------	$	$	$ 5.00	$	$
Black Mtn. -----	153.00	66.13		20.00	
Bethel Hill -----			5.00		
Briartown------	50.00		8.00		
Buck Creek ----	10.00		6.00		
Burningtown ---	150.00		8.00	40.00	
Calvary -------	30.00		10.00		
Cartoogechaye--	200.00	500.00	12.00	100.00	10.00
Clear Creek----	113.35		15.00	48.61	(Ch. Home)
Cowee ---------	728.00	167.00	20.00	100.00	
Coweeta -------	75.00				
E. Franklin ----		57.00			
Ellijay---------	10.00	25.00			
Franklin, 1st--	2,124.75	750.00	10.00		
Gold Mine------	60.00	125.00	12.00	40.00	
Higdonville-----	275.00		10.00	25.00	
Highlands, 1st--	330.00	330.00	4.00	50.00	
Holly Springs---	363.96	68.25	6.00		
Iotla ----------	540.00		10.00		
Liberty --------	180.00		20.00	50.00	
Longview ------	720.00		24.00	100.00	
Mashburn Br. --	112.00				
Mt. Hope ------	336.00	227.52	10.00	100.00	
Nantahala (VBS)-					43.53 (Co. Prog.)

Newman Chapel-$ 94.05	$ 233.00	$ 20.00	$ 110.26	$ 60.00
Oak Dale--------191.27		4.00		(Co. Prog.)
Oak Grove ------110.00			100.00	
Pine Grove------	120.00	8.00	24.45	23.10
Prentiss -------- 61.00	40.45	10.00		(Co. Prog.)
Ridgecrest ------192.00	211.68	25.00		100.00*
Rose Creek -----			25.00	
Shortoff---------167.16		10.00	50.00	
Sugarfork -------125.00	10.00	10.00		
Tellico ---------		8.00		
Walnut Creek---- 25.00	50.00			40.00*
Watauga --------250.00		20.00	300.00	
Wells Grove-----120.00			100.00	62.08
W. Franklin----- 60.00		8.00		(Co. Prog.)
West Union------ 9.75	21.45	4.00		21.52
Windy Gap ------ 77.50		10.00		(Liter.)
WMU Highlands, 1st --				25.00*
N.C. Bapt. State Convention---1,846.00				
Rev. Cecil Frady (Reimbursement telephone calls) ---------255.19				
Christian Action League (Offering from Assn. Mtg.) -------				(CAL) 115.35
Norman Blaine ------				30.00*
Bruce Bryant -------				100.00*
Pauline Cable -------				5.00*
Mrs. J. D. Carson ---				5.00*
Jim Conley ---------				5.00*
Cliff Cook ----------				50.00*
J. C. Crisp ---------				5.00*
Flora Dean ---------				5.00*
Lolita Dean ---------				5.00*
Dryman's Men Shop --				50.00*
Lyman Fisher -------			200.00	
Nobel Garrett -------				25.00*
Ann Higdon ---------				2.00*
Bill Horsley --------				15.00*
Roy Kinsland --------				25.00*
Barbara Ledford-----			25.00	
Oscar Ledford ------				50.00*
Clarence Mason -----				20.00*
Mae McCoy ---------	20.00		50.00	400.00*
Nora Moody ---------				100.00*
Parker Norton ------				2.00*
Mary Powell --------			25.00	
Roy Rickman -------				10.00*
Hyldah Shepherd -----	150.00			
J. H. Stockton----50.00				25.00*
Verlon Swafford -----				50.00*
Walter Wilson ------				30.00*
Total Contributions for Year ------$10,194.98	$3,172.48	$332.00	$1,683.32	$1,514.58

*Contributions for Offset Press

DISBURSEMENTS

Rev. Cecil Frady (Salary & Travel)	$ 6,199.92
Annuity Board, SBC (Annuity, Rev. Frady)	400.08
Rev. Cecil Frady (VBS Clinic Registration)	10.00
Rev. Cecil Frady (Reimbursed for lawn mower)	23.95
Rev. Cecil Frady (Convention Expense)	75.00
Barbara Ledford (Treasurer Oct. 1, 1972 - Sept. 30, 1973)	100.00
Linda P. Cabe (Clerk July 1, 1972 - June 30, 1973)	100.00
Nantahala Power & Light Co. (Electricity)	484.49
Western Carolina Telephone Co. (Telephone)	507.71
Town of Franklin (Water & Sewer)	68.02
N.C. Baptist State Conv. (Cooperative Program) (Nantahala VBS $43.53; Pine Grove VBS $23.10) (Newman Chapel $60.00; Wells Grove VBS $62.08)	188.71
Gray & Creech (Mimeo Supplies)	74.03
Zeb Meadows, Postmaster (Mailing Permit #33 $45.00; Stamps $18.00)	63.00
Franklin Ins. Agency (Insurance to 8/4/74)	145.00
Christian Action League (Offering from Assn. Mtg.)	115.35
First Union National Bank (Bal. of Contributions 1972-1973)	631.42
First Union National Bank (On Principal of Loan)	3,172.73
Baptist Book Store (VBS Material)	21.52
Baptist Sunday School Board (T.U. Literature $41.11 VBS Material & Maps $63.65; Church Liter. $34.37)	139.13
N.C. Bapt. Children's Home (Cartoogechaye Jr. Class)	10.00
Rev. Edgar N. Crosley ("M" Night Speaker)	50.00
Missouri Baptist Press (Printing Minutes)	274.00
Hilton Business Equipment (Repair typewriter & purchase stencils)	38.82
Franklin Stone Co. (Paving $1400; Stone $564.44)	1,964.44
Food Palace (Fertilize)	45.40
Joe McDowell (Use of truck to haul gravel to Assn. Home)	10.00
Total Disbursements for Year	$14,912.72

Balance on Hand July 1, 1973	$ 1,336.65
Total Contributions for Year	16,897.36
Total on hand for year	18,234.01
Disbursements for year	14,912.72
Balance on hand June 30, 1974	$ 3,321.29

Respectfully submitted, Elizabeth F. Mason, Treasurer

13. Rev. Glenn Whitley reported on missions and proposed budget.

BUDGET

SALARIES:	
Field Worker	$ 5,500.00
Treasurer	100.00
Clerk	100.00
Total Salaries	$ 5,700.00
GENERAL EXPENDITURES:	
Water, Lights, & Heat	$ 850.00
Travel Expenses For Field Worker	1,500.00
Convention Expenses (Field Worker)	300.00
Annuity Board (Field Worker's Retirement)	600.00

GENERAL EXPENDITURES: (Continued)	
Office Phone	$ 300.00
Printing of Minutes for Churches	100.00
Postage and Office Supplies	300.00
Maintenance	250.00
Total General Expenses	$ 4,200.00
PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES:	
Sunday School	$ 75.00
Training Union	100.00
Woman's Missionary Union	125.00
Vacation Bible School	75.00
Total Promotional	$ 375.00
Grand Total	$10,275.00
Conv. Supplement	$ 1,704.00
Church's Part	$ 8,571.00

Respectfully submitted, Billy Smith, Chairman; Glenn Whitley, Harvey Stewart, Jack King, Zeb Hall, Victor Teague

Rev. Glenn Whitley spoke to Truett Camp report.

TRUETT CAMP REPORT

Under the direction of George Kenneth Crawford we are experiencing an exceptional year at George W. Truett Camp. At this writing we have just completed Youth Music Week with a total registration of 47. Approximately 400 boys and girls will be served by the camp this summer.

As well as the seven regular weeks of camp, we are happy to report that more and more churches and associations are using the Truett facilities for retreats and outings.

Also we are grateful for the increased response from many of our Region 10 churches in sending financial support to the camp. Because of this we will be able to finish the camping season in the black in spite of the fact camp fees have not been raised in keeping with spiraling costs.

We would like to remind the pastors of the area of our Preacher's Camp Meeting to be held September 16-18. Our preacher will be Dr. Howard Ford, Director of the Missions Division of the Baptist State Convention and our Bible teacher will be Alex Booth, Dean of Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute. The emphasis of the three days will be deepening of spiritual life.

Respectfully submitted, Glenn Whitley, Luther Osment, Area Missionary

14. Baptist Hospital report submitted by Bruce Bryant. Rev. Calvin Knight from Baptist Hospital spoke to this report.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Changes and additions continue to be made for the purpose of providing better hospital care. Renovation of the Progressive Care Unit has been completed, and the South and West Wings of the hospital building are now being renovated. Construction of the Ambulatory Care Unit is well under way and is scheduled for completion in the spring, or early summer, of 1975.

New discoveries continue to make possible better medical care. For example, a new EMI-Scanner is to be installed and is expected to be in use before the end of this year. This device, which combines the use of x-rays and computors, will make it possible to detect brain tumors, blood clots, and strokes more accurately and more quickly. Scans can be completed in about 30 minutes and the results can be available in another five minutes. There is no risk or discomfort involved, and the patient does not have to be admitted to the hospital.

New approaches are also being made in the hospital's ministry to the emotional and spiritual needs of people. The Division of Human Enrichment and Development, in the Department of Pastoral Care, is conducting retreats, seminars, and workshops designed to help appropriate the resources of the Christian faith to the various areas and experiences of life. The Pastoral Care Department has also opened its first satellite center, in Fayetteville, to offer counseling and training to people in that area. Your Cooperative Program gifts help to support these ministries.

The School of Nursing graduated its last class in May. The school has been in the process of phasing out for the past three years, as the result of a trustee decision made in 1971.

In January the hospital had its only room rate increase in the past three and one half years. Nevertheless, the hospital continues to operate "in the black". The 1973 Mother's Day Offerings amounted to $375,000. At the time of this writing, our 1974 Mother's Day gifts are running ahead of the same time last year. These gifts are used to assist patients with the most urgent financial needs. A special committee of five Baptists from the Winston-Salem area assists personnel from the hospital Business Office and the Department of Denominational Relations in administering these funds.

Your hospital staff, and the people they serve, are grateful for your interest, your prayers and your financial support.

Respectfully submitted, Bruce Bryant, Calvin S. Knight,
Director Denominational Relations

15. Report submitted by Mrs. Zena Pearl Brogden. Mr. Marse Grant, Editor of Biblical Recorder spoke to this report.

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is grateful for another good year, although these are difficult days for religious publications. Some have had to go out of business while others are squeezed by rising costs. The RECORDER has not escaped the pressures of inflation. For example, paper has risen 61 per cent already this year -- and the end is not in sight.

Even so, the RECORDER has been in business for 141 years and expects to continue. A few changes have to be made, however, to keep the paper strong. As staff members have resigned or retired, they have not been replaced. Some weeks the number of pages has to be reduced to save money, but readers have been very understanding.

Despite some problems, the RECORDER is enjoying its highest circulation in history -- more than 111,000 -- thanks to the continuing support of the vast majority of Baptist churches in the state. These churches and their members remember the part the RECORDER played in the overwhelming defeat of liquor by the drink last November. This is probably the most significant story that the RECORDER has reported since the associations met last year. You will remember that approximately 70 per cent of the voters in the state voted against liquor by the drink and it was defeated in 97 of 100 counties. This should take care of this issue for awhile.

The RECORDER will continue its emphasis on local church coverage, seeking to deal with problems that every church has. Naturally, we are prejudiced, but we do not believe any publication can take the place of the BIBLICAL RECORDER. If your church does not send it to every family, may we ask a simple question: Why? At a cost of only a nickel a week for each family, this is the best investment a Baptist church can make. Put the RECORDER in the budget before it has to increase the rate because of inflation.

Respectfully submitted, Zena Pearl Brogden, J. Marse Grant,
Editor BIBLICAL RECORDER

16. Mrs. Mary Justice, Clerk, read recommendation of Rev. Glenn Whitley to change the day session of the Annual Association to night. This is to read as follows; First session to begin at 7:30 P.M. The second session to begin at 4:00 P.M. the following day. This was moved and carried.

17. Mrs. Mary Justice, Clerk, read action taken on purchasing an Off Set Machine for the Association. Rev. Glenn Whitley made motion to purchase the machine. Motion carried. This machine was purchased and is in operation.

18. The moderator took an offering for Off Set Press Machine. The amount collected was $172.90.

19. Mr. John Johnson, led the group in singing "Take the Name of Jesus With You."

20. Annual Sermon - Rev. Cecil Frady, Associational Missionary. "Share His Love" He read as his scripture, John 13:1.

21. Rev. Jimmy Morris, Communications Director Baptist State Convention spoke to all Missions reports. Rev. Morris showed a film "Sharing Love In Missions."

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

The churches are on mission to people under the Lordship of Christ - Matthew 28:19-20. Churches in a cooperative plan express their mission beyond the local congregation. State Missions is interrelated by planning and financing with associations, the State Convention, and the Home Mission Board. There is a ministry of State Missions expressed within the local church in Evangelism, Church Programs and Stewardship Promotion. State Missions is churches expressing a positive interest in Christian Education.

State Missions is a multiplicity of special ministries too big for any one local church. These ministries to areas of need may be altogether supported by State Missions budgeting, or a cooperative budgeting arrangement of the local church, the association, the State Convention, and the Home Mission Board. Such specialized ministries include work at Cherokee and Pembroke, promotion and coordination of World Mission Conferences, support of part-time Chaplaincies in several correctional institutions, assistance in witnessing to and enlisting for service Orientals and Spanish speaking peoples. A specialized ministry to the deaf includes evangelizing, teaching and counseling the deaf.

Also included is a cooperative plan for Seminary extension and a rapidly growing Resort Ministry. Fruitland Baptist Institute is an area of State Missions. Our cities need Baptist Centers and other expressions of Christian social and evangelistic concern. State Missions promotes and supports a vigorous ministry in the inner city. State Missions continues a specialized ministry with other races.

State Missions serves the pastor and local church. New churches are encouraged by loans and grants of lot aid. Needy churches are given financial aid until they can become self-supporting. Pastors are directly helped through Annuity supplements.

State Missions is a cooperative ministry by the churches to people who need God and other churches that need help.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Paul Ammons

ASSOCIATION MISSIONARY REPORT

Macon Baptist Association was organized in 1904 to support the churches in their work. Through the association, churches can do things cooperatively and together better than the church can do alone. Since Macon Association was organized the association has grown from 24 Baptist churches to 48, less one who dissolved being a church.

The Association has grown in many other aspects such as: from part-time missionaries to full-time missionary with beautiful Association Building which provides ample space for Home and Office. These dreams have become a reality through much hard work, planning and prayers of many and through the cooperative efforts of each church.

We had an increase of giving to the Association Work of $4,348.46 which includes missions, home, paving, and office equipment. Out thirteen Vacation Bible Schools reported we had an enrollment of 798 and 26 professions of faith. We do rejoice over these souls but this is less than last year. However, many reports did not reach the office in time to report.

We thank God for the victory in defeating the Liquor-by-the-Drink in November. We do appreciate the work, Christian Action League, our pastors, lay people, did to help combat the evils of alcohol. Let us be ready at all times to do our part; the forces of evil are always at work.

The paving of the Association drives have been so helpful and enjoyed by all who attend our meetings and visit these grounds.

The off set machine will be a great asset to our work and we hope to our churches.

I hope next year we can have a stronger pastors conference with more of our pastors attending. Our Executive meetings needs to be supported with your pressence and prayers.

I would like to urge that we be more in harmony and together in "74-75" to do what Jesus commanded us to do: 1. Teach all Nations, 2. Preach the Gospel to all Nations, 3. Baptize by immersion every born again believer, 4. Teach Christians to do what Jesus taught.

I would like to see our Association Deacons Meeting revived, brotherhood's organized and some revived, our Training Union, Sunday School, WMU, strengthened that through these organizations in our churches we could win people to Christ, and teach them to observe all things that Jesus commanded.

Through your support and prayers you have a part in the Association Program.

In these times we need banded together as never before in one accord to carry on God's work. Let us not grow weary in well doing for in due season, we shall reap, if we faint not. Gal. 6:9

My appreciation goes to the pastors, association officers, churches, State Convention, Southern Baptist Convention, Cooperative Program for support, prayers and cooperation given me this past year. It is because of you I am able to be serving you in this capacity.

We thank God for all accomplishments and victories and all His many blessings and trust Him to lead us and where we are weak that we may become strong for Him.

Respectfully submitted, Cecil Frady, Associational Missionary

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

At the close of 1973 the Foreign Mission Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2,538. Additions during the year totaled 229. On January 1, 1974 Southern Baptist missionaries were under appointment to 77 geographical or political entities.

Missionaries are related to national Baptist conventions and churches on five continents. More than 75 percent of these churches are self-supporting. In some countries, all of the churches in the national convention are self-supporting.

During 1973 a new national convention was organized - The Cooperative Baptist Convention of Guyana. Conventions and unions in other lands are emphasizing lay witnessing and church-centered evangelistic efforts. WIN (Witness Involvement Now) schools have been held in Bangladesh, Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Japan, and other countries are planning such schools for this year.

Unusual response to special evangelistic campaigns in 1973 were reported in Nigeria, Korea and the Philippines.

Around the world, the student generation is receiving attention from Baptist missionaries and national conventions. Construction has begun on a student center to minister to young peop e attending the University of Guam. Special conferences on student work for missionaries and national workers from East and Southeast Asia were held in the Philippines in 1973. In Japan, plans have been projected for renewed emphasis on ministry to students.

Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds is made available annually for foreign missions. This is the basis upon which sustained advance can be built. But still urgently needed on overseas fields are land, buildings, and equipment amounting to several million dollars' worth. HOW WILL YOU AND I RESPOND TO THIS CHALLENGE?

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Roper

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Southern Baptist leaders realized at the very beginning of the denomination they would confront barriers difficult, perhaps impossible, for a single Christian or church or even state convention to cross alone. Knowing this, the Convention created the Home Mission Board and charged it with responsibility for developing and promoting a single uniform missions program to assist churches, associations and state conventions in crossing barriers to make disciples for Christ in the homeland.

The many ministries of the Board which engage persons at the point of their needs are carried on through twelve programs of work: Evangelism, Christian Social Ministries, Church Extension, Pioneer Missions, Church Loans, Language Missions, Interfaith Witness, Chaplains, Associational Administration Service, Rural-Urban Missions, Metropolitan Missions, and Cooperative Ministries with National Baptists.

The Christian Service Corps provides contact service to volunteers wishing to work on a home missions field (at one's own expense) for a brief or extended time. Student Summer Missions employs some nine hundred college students for ten weeks each summer. Approximately thirty US-2'ers are appointed annually for a two year period. Career mission opportunities exist in a variety of types: from mission pastors to language missions to Christian social ministries and more.

The Home Mission Board is active in all fifty states, Panama and Puerto Rico. Home Missions presently employs about twenty-two hundred full-time missionaries, staff and office personnel. In addition, the agency assists nearly six thousand special workers like youth groups and choirs, student summer missionaries and Campers on Mission. The Board also endorses more than nine hundred chaplains not counted in the missionary force. Approximately one thousand missionaries are involved in language missions, and two hundred fifty are associated with Christian social ministries. Some sixty US-2'ers serve on home mission fields. Between three hundred fifty and four hundred pastors receive church pastoral aid. One half of home missions financial support is provided through the Cooperative Program, and the other half comes from the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. The home missions budget annually exceeds $16 million. Approximately $1,900 is required to operate home missions for one hour and cost for one minute is nearly $32.

Communities without need for some special ministry are few. Most any concerned Christian can look around him and discover opportunities for mission service. This is the basic ingredient of home missions.

Respectfully submitted, Connie Campbell

22. Moved and seconded that all reports which had been given be adopted.

23. Motion to adjourn meeting until 9:30 A.M. at West Franklin Baptist Church.

The Benediction was by Rev. Clarence Martin.

Adjournment at 9:40 P.M.

Jud Duvall, Moderator - Mary Justice, Clerk

FRIDAY MORNING - AUGUST 16, 1974
WEST FRANKLIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Meditation music was presented by Mrs. Elizabeth Mason.

24. West Franklin Baptist Church was host for the Friday session. Moderator Jud Duvall called this second session to order at 9:30 A.M. Mr. Johnson led the group in singing "Lily of the Valley."

25. Rev. Andrew Cloer pastor of the host church, extended a welcome to those attending the Friday Session.

26. Rev. Cecil Frady gave report on Baptist Foundation oral.

27. Mr. Johnson, led the group in singing "Love Divine."

28. The Baptist Home for The Aging was prepared by John Roper and received information.

BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING REPORT

Among the many ministries that we as Baptist support, is North Carolina Baptist Homes, for the Aging. For over twenty-three years we have had this opportunity to be of service to hundreds of older people in our state. We have done so through two ways: (1) Special offering received in February of each year, (2) Through the Cooperative Program.

God has blessed this ministry in a remarkable way during the past year. The Trustees of the Homes have decided to establish a sixth home, to be located in Asheville, North Carolina. A group of Baptist in Western North Carolina have organized the initial phase, of what is hoped to be a major state wide fund raising effort to obtain necessary money to build this proposed home.

With the ever increasing cost of living and increasing needs of older people, it is most urgent that we be more generous than ever before with our support for the Homes For The Aging.

Respectfully submitted, John Roper

29. The Baptist Children's Home submitted by Roy Rickman was received as information. Mr. Clyde J. Morris spoke to this report.

WESTERN AREA REPORT

Western North Carolina Baptists have shared the adventure of a Christian child care ministry with the Baptist Children's Homes this year. You, in the associations, have helped us retain warm fellowship and supporting relationships by your visits to Broyhill Home; by allowing us to visit in your churches and homes; by close and frequent contacts with pastors; and by keeping up with our many activities through the pages of Charity and Children. A part of our strength comes from our knowledge of your prayers and concern in a variety of ways.

This year has seen the completion of the Broyhill Recreation Building and the Wagoner Administration Building on the Broyhill Home Campus. We will need you to join us there on October 27 for a program of dedication for the Haywood and Wall Cottages, the recreation and administration buildings, and the campus itself.

Since its inception in 1971, the Maternity Home in Asheville has offered a helping hand to more than 120 girls who struggled with one of the serious crises of life. This program continues to find acceptance throughout the

state and to realize success in sharing the Christian adventure with the girls who come there.

At the present time, a cooperative adventure is under study with the Green River, Sandy Run, and Polk Associations for the establishment of an emergency care shelter. This, again, will be a helping hand for boys and girls caught in the crisis of present day society.

The continuing good will and generous support of our friends throughout the State make possible a vigerous and progressive ministry of child care. During this year, North Carolina Baptists gave more than a million dollars to Christian child care in the Baptist Children's Homes through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving offering, and designated gifts and offerings. We continue to depend on your prayers and loving support as we face the pressures of an uncertain economy, rapidly spiraling costs, and the need to serve children whose personal problems are most intense.

Respectfully submitted, Roy Rickman

Mr. Clyde Morris spoke to Cooperative Program report.

STEWARDSHIP-COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

More than 5,000 missionaries at home and abroad depend on gifts through the Cooperative Program for a salary each month. Over 3,000 of these have a basic ministry of evangelism, with all of the others using their skills as nurses, teachers, doctors, etc. to meet human needs in order to bring these to Christ. Through the Cooperative Program you are helping the widow, the homeless child, the homeless aged, the sick, plus the ministries of preaching and teaching.

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything, would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.

Would your church give more if you received more money? If so, you need to have a thorough stewardship program in your church.

Last year 1,236 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Two of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1973. These two associations were: Flat River and the Tar River.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?

2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?

3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program each month to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Post Office Box 26508, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611?

4. Will you help us have a good stewardship workshop in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in your goals for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

Respectfully submitted, Swann Elliott

30. Mr. Johnson, led the group in singing "Jesus Paid It All".

31. Annuity Board report submitted by Rev. C. C. Welch as information. Mr. Sam O'Neil spoke this report.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

We are sorry to report out of 48 churches we only have three or four churches that participate in the retirement plan for the pastor.

I don't see how churches could ask a man in these days to work without some way to take care of him when he is sick or old and cannot work any more.

Our Baptist has the Annuity Plan which is a plan I think any church ought to make this part of their budget every year.

It reminds me of a man that bought a mule. When the man got married this mule helped to feed the family. Finally at the age of 22 the mule got disabled to work. They turned him in a dry pasture and good luck. You make your own way sink or swim.

No wonder there are less men entering the ministry.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. C. C. Welch

32. CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

While churches and colleges are not identical in their purposes, Baptist churches and Baptist colleges in North Carolina do their work in an atmosphere of mutual appreciation. This active partnership includes Baptist Youth Corps, student-led worship and revival services, visits to the campuses by pastors and other leaders, participation of faculty and staff in associational and local church programs, and special projects of promotion on behalf of the Cooperative Program.

Our seven Baptist colleges are grateful for the continuing financial support which they receive through the Cooperative Program. During 1974, approximately $2,350,000 will undergird the work of North Carolina Baptist colleges. At a very crucial and difficult time, these funds make a tremendous difference in the quality of programs offered by our schools.

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students through pastors and superintendents of missions. No qualified student will be turned away simply because of inability to pay. Baptist colleges are anxious to enroll the young people from our churches.

Our colleges -- Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hills, Meredity, Wake Forest and Wingate -- work together and with the Baptist State Convention through the Council on Christian Higher Education. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges in the promotion of understanding and cooperation as together they deal creatively with persons in the name of our Lord.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Charles L. Cabe

33. ORDINATION REPORT

I am happy to report that we had two ordinations this year. Shortoff Missionary Baptist church ordained Brother Roy Lowe. He was and is now their pastor.

The Cowetta Missionary Baptist Church ordained Brother Bobby Crawford. He was their pastor and still is their pastor.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. C. C. Welch, Chairman
Ordination Committee

34. Doctrinal Message - Rev. H. L. Stewart, Hymn "Holy Spirit Breathe On Me." Message entitled "Holy Spirit and You" Acts 1:1-8.

35. Following Rev. Stewart's message Mr. Frank Nagle asked grace for the noon meal.

36. Adjournment at 11:45 A.M.

AFTERNOON SESSION - AUGUST 16, 1974

37. The afternoon session of the Macon Baptist Association Annual Meeting opened with meditation music by Mrs. Elizabeth Mason.

38. "He Keeps Me Singing" was led by Mrs. Mary Justice.

39. Rev. Jim Crayton was recognized for scripture and prayer. Matt: 25:31

40. Rev. Bill Shields gave an oral report of the Nominating Committee.

41. Mrs. Mary Powell spoke to Report on Vacation Bible School.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

It is extremely hard to have a complete report at this time because our Associational year ends June 30 and many churches have their Bible Schools after that time, but interest is high and the schools I have had contact with or helped in have been very good. I know of some churches that are having schools for the first time and have shown a great deal of interest. Many churches are starting to have adult classes too and that is pleasing to me.

As of June 30, there were 14 schools reported but I know of several that were held in July or August. I helped in three schools and the interest was great.

Let us pray that God will continue to guide us in this great work of reaching people through the Vacation Bible School.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Powell, V.B.S. Director

42. Mrs. May McCoy spoke to Historian Report.

HISTORICAL REPORT

The seventy-first annual meeting of the Macon Baptist Association is scheduled to meet as follows: Night session with Pine Grove Church August 15; day session with West Franklin August 16.

This associational year is one that should long be remembered. It has proven intelligent noble thinking and much courage in the work done by our pastors, our Field worker, Rev. Cecil Frady, and other Christians. All this has been especially noted in their plans and untiring efforts as they worked with the officers of the Christian Action League and others to defeat the Legislative proposal of Liquor-by-the-Drink in our state. We still rejoice to remember that on November 6, 1973 Christian people in North Carolina rallied to the polls and as a result 98 counties of the 100 gave a resounding "No" to this evil proposal. Truly Macon County Baptist are thankful we were one of the 98 counties that said "No" by a big margin and for the leadership in this hard campaign. Macon Baptist gave almost $1500.00 to defeat Liquor-by-the-Drink, but more important were the prayers offered, time given and the well planned action taken.

Ordinations To The Gospel Ministry

On January 6, 1974, Bobby Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crawford, was ordained to the Gospel Ministry at Mt. Hope Baptist Church and he is now serving as pastor of Coweeta Baptist Church.

On January 13, 1974, Roy Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lowe, was ordained to the Gospel Ministry at the Gold Mine Baptist Church. Roy is now serving as pastor of Short Off Baptist Church.

Deacons Ordained

On January 13, 1974, Johnny Rogers and Neville Owens were ordained as deacons at Gold Mine Baptist Church. Also on this same date David McClure and Gleen Holland were ordained as deacons at the Pine Grove Baptist Church.

On June 30, 1974, Walter M. Wilson was ordained as a deacon at Clear Creek Baptist Church. Ordination sermon by Rev. Cecil Frady.

Baptisms

The Flats Baptist Church witnessed a wonderful baptismal service, held in open water at 11:30 A.M. in very cold water on January 13, 1974. Three people were baptized and the power of the Lord was manifested in a great way.

On January 13, 1974 was a great day for Rev. Cecil Frady. He conducted the baptismal service at Flats and was one of the Presberty in the ordination service mentioned above.

On December 2, 1973 two young girls were baptized in the Lake at Happy Top on Nantahala. This service came as a result of revival held at Briartown Baptist Church where Rev. Kenneth Jenkins is pastor.

In November 1973 Aquone Baptist Church witnessed the baptism of 23 converts to add to their membership roll. Rev. Ralph Postell is pastor.

Two boys were baptized at Clear Creek on June 30, 1974 by Odel Owens - this was his first time to conduct a baptismal service. Rev. Owens is pastor.

No doubt many other churches have had baptismal services but we do not have any more information of this. All such important information as this, and additions to church membership in other acceptable ways - will be recorded in the church letters sent to association.

Sunday School Workshop

On March 11, 1974, the Baptist Sunday School Board sent workers to conduct a work shop at Sylva, N.C. for all S.S. teachers in Macon, Jackson, and Swain Counties. Rev. Cecil Frady, Cliff Cook, and Roy Tippett, Macon Associational Sunday School Director attended this meeting.

The ideas, interest and enthusiasm gained at this workshop by these three Maconians began to bear fruit immediately. Mr. Cliff Cook got out of bed on the following morning with a determination to try to get 25 new comers to the church at Wells Grove where he belongs. On the following cold, dreary Sunday morning 21 new comers, who did not attend any church came. These all came because Mr. Cook invited them. Now some of these are members of Wells Grove and are coming regularly. Rev. Jud Duvall, Moderator of Macon Baptist Association, is pastor.

Since March 11, several meetings have been held in churches or in areas where several churches could come together and the theme used is OUT REACH. Out Reach is a program much needed. It is a Sunday School Program designed to find the people and enlist them in Bible Study and Sunday School and commitment to Christ.

Much work is under way in all our state and in our Southern Baptist Convention for the purpose of reaching all people for Christ through Sunday School in 1974-75. September 19 - October 6 will launch the campaign.

High attendance Sunday will be November 19th. The whole Southern Baptist Convention will be involved in National publicity on this Sunday. All churches will be asked to report to the association. The County Association will report to the State Convention and the State Convention to the Southern Baptist Convention - Thus the whole Nation will know what Baptists are doing in Sunday School in U.S.A.

Help Given Disaster Area

In April 1974, a severe tornado struct in Truett Baptist Association in an area near Murphy, N. C. and many homes were destroyed or damaged. Mt. Liberty Baptist Church lost both old and new building almost finished.

When Macon Baptist learned of this disaster they soon got busy to respond to this need and 16 churches were known to help with money and many material needs and many individuals from Macon Association helped.

Paving Project

The driveway around the Macon Baptist Building was all paved in January 1974. Many churches in Macon Baptist Association responded well to this needy call. The entire cost was $1,400.

Pastors Leaving Macon Association

Rev. Bill Smith has gone from Mt. Hope Baptist Church to pastor a church in Gastonia, N.C.

Rev. Jack King has gone from Cartoogechaye Baptist Church.

Various Church News

Burningtown Church has called Rev. Earl Dendy to serve as their full time pastor. Rev. Dendy resigned at Newmans Chapel. He has served there as pastor for a number of years.

Calvary Church has called Rev. Claude Ledford as pastor. Rev. Ledford is pastor at Black Mountain Baptist Church also.

Gold Mine Church has lost their pastor recently. Rev. Bill Shields has resigned there.

Flats Church has called Rev. Junior Ramey to serve as their pastor.

Longview Church has become much concerned and enthused as they took view of the possibilities of enlarging their Sunday School enrollment and Bible Study Program. Now they have purchased a church bus to bring in more people. Out Reach has a meaning of victory for them in striving to be what the Lord wants each church to be.

Aquone Church moved into the Sanctuary of their nice, new, modern church in November 1973. Much interest and concern is being shown as these people seek our Field Workers help in learning more about how to carry on the Lord's work in a more effective way. Thanks to our maker for such Christian concern - Rev. Ralph Postell is pastor.

West Franklin Church has landscaped their church grounds, bricked the church, carpeted inside, added a new steeple, and paved the parking lot. Rev. Andy Cloer is pastor.

Holly Springs Church Holly Springs church completed its new parsonage in the Spring 1973. It is a modern brick home with three bed rooms, two bath rooms, family room, kitchen, living room, dining room, carport and a full sized basement.

Several men of the church gave free labor in getting the basement laid. The women were helpful in selecting carpetings and draperies and in cleaning before occupancy.

For three straight years the Woman's Missionary Union of the church has sent $120.00 to Broyhill Children's Home at Clyde, N. C.

After the tornado that struck in the Truett Association. Holly Springs Church voted to take $300.00 from its Benevolence Fund for the victims. A freewill offering was also taken, making a total of $380.00, Rev. Judson Hall is pastor.

Iotla Church - Improvements on the church and church grounds are as follows: Church has been painted inside and out, New padded pews installed, a new well drilled, carpet cleaned, new carpet in nursery, new curtains and paint job. Early in 1973 parking lot enlarged and paved and all of drive way.

It speaks well of churches that keep improving their houses of worship. Rev. Millard Brock is pastor of Iotla.

Franklin First Church Rev. Douglass Sturgill resigned as Pastor of Franklin and the Rev. Nane Starnes has been called to serve as interim pastor. We welcome Rev. Starnes to Macon Baptist Association.

The entire educational structure of Franklin First has been painted inside and carpeted all stairways, halls and Sunday School rooms.

Cowee Church January 6, 1974 was a very special day for the congregation at Cowee Baptist Church. On this date the church burned the note on its sanctuary - a 20 year note that was paid off in nine years. It was also the occasion for an open house for the new pastorium which was estimated to

cost about $50,000. By careful supervision of all the work and by subcontracting the work it was built for less than the estimated cost. It is elaborate and very appropriate in every way. It is said to be one of the nicest and best planned pastorium in our state.

Many people were present for this open house and for the good meal served in their church dining room. J. Morse Grant, Editor of Biblical Recorder was the speaker at the morning service. Rev. Glen Whitley is pastor.

Newmans Chapel has called Rev. Waymond Lunsford as pastor.

Mashburn Branch has called Rev. Mack Reid as pastor.

Walnut Creek Church; Ellijay Church have called Walter Clark as their pastor.

Pine Grove Church has called Rev. L. E. Angel as pastor.

Liberty Church celebrated their 100th anniversary on March 31, 1974. This was a great day for them and for all who attended. Many of their former pastors were present for this event and each spoke. Also many of their former members were present. They had singing and dinner on the ground. This celebration was well attended with an over run house. Rev. Clarence Martin is pastor.

New Printing Equipment for Macon Association

The Executive Promotion Committee met in a special called meeting on June 6, 1974 in the Chapel of the Macon Baptist Associational House. Mr. Jim Morrow, Salesman for AB Dick Office Supplies was present to demonstrate an Off Set Machine. When the demonstration was finished and all questions answered all present voted by up lifted hands to purchase such a machine.

All that was needed to prove to our people of Macon Baptist Association that such a machine was needed was to show them a sample printing done on the old machine and learn by seeing a demonstration of what could be done with the use of a new off set machine. A drive for money to purchase such a machine had already been started. When the meeting was called $555.00 had been collected and ready for associational disposal. The total cost of the new equipment is $2,600.00.

Strong and sturdy cabinets had to be provided to hold this equipment. Mr. Bronce Roper and Rev. Frady have been working to provide this - They are doing free labor and Rev. Frady has furnished all materials.

Good work needs to be well done and we are thankful that he has put all this need so clearly before our people. The next printing that comes to us from our associational office will be done on the New Machine.

Following are some of the facts concerning work done to interest our people on helping to pay for this item - Two ladies gave a total of $500.00. One lady had been contacting our Business Men. These contacts brought encouraging responses as "yes sure I will help I will give you a check for $50.00 now." About 12 were contacted in a three day drive and so the spirit of cooperation was so good a called meeting of Executive Promotion Committee was made to see what opinion they held on this question. As stated in the beginning all said, "yes we want such a machine."

The other lady is still contacting people through Woman's Missionary Union in our churches and through her mission group in Franklin First.

A letter of thanks from our associational office is being sent to each person or church who contributed to this needy cause and the amount they gave.

Our sincere thanks go out to Rev. and Mrs. Frady for the deep concern they show as they work for every church and every individual who goes to them for help and advice. Any short call at the office and looking at the samples of work done will convince any one of their sincere devotion to God and Macon Baptist Association.

May we lift up voices in humble prayer that they may help Macon Baptist do great things for Christ's Kingdom Work.

Baptist-State Convention News

Allen Bailey, Charlotte, N.C., Attorney and Co-chairman of the anti-LBD compaign was elected president of the Baptist State Convention for 1974. Coy Privette, president of the Christian Action League and pastor of North Kannapolis Church, was elected as first vice-president.

The 1974 annual convention meets in Raleigh in November. Thad Dowdle, a native Maconian and now serving as pastor of College Avenue Baptist Church of Leinore, N.C., was named to preach the annual sermon at the 144th session in Raleigh.

We should still remember that Congress proclaimed that April 30, 1974 be a Nation Day of Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer. Some of our churches did remember this and assembled for the stated purpose and have been blessed. May each church and all Christians take this suggestion that congress set for one day and follow through each day and time that we assemble to carry out work and worship in God's name. Thereby our churches will prosper and souls will be saved and next year be a more fruitful one.

May we pray that God will give us wisdom and courage for the living of this hour.

Respectfully submitted, May McCoy, Historian

43. Training Union Report, Sunday School Report and Seminary Extension Report was adopted.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

We are happy to report that we have truly been blessed in our Training Program for "74".

We have visited several churches and have been welcomed with warm receptive hearts. We have seen New Training Programs get under way, and the churches having members being greatly interested are being very successful.

"M" Night was held at Longview Baptist Church, November 5, 1973. Guest speaker for the evening was Rev. Edgar Crosby. Attendance for the evening was around 200, with Newman's Chapel taking the banner for best attendance.

We must train in order to learn. If you don't have a Training Program in your church, why not start one now?? Your prayers are needed as we go from church to church. Pray that we would work to please God. God bless you.

Respectfully submitted, John W. Rogers, Training Union Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

In March of this Associational year the Sunday School sponsored a one night service in conjunction with the youth of the association, at the First Baptist Church, Franklin. There was a good number present.

Also at this meeting, we began a program called "Reach Out" to enlist, or to get back in church more of our people that are not enrolled now. We are only reaching about half of the people who have membership in our Baptist churches. This program can be a great help to our churches to win souls to Christ if we will work earnestly for the Lord. There have been twelve meetings held at different churches throughout the county on the Reach Out Program with several churches now taking part and some good results being seen.

There is new literature available that will be a great help in our Sunday Schools. I urge each church to take advantage of this material.

Also the 26 - 28th of August, there will be a Church Leadership Workshop at the First Baptist Church, Franklin. Our state workers will be here and

there will be classes for pastors, Deacons and Pastor's wives and Deacon's wives. All Sunday School leadership and all Church Training Leadership. I urge all to attend.

Respectfully submitted, Roy Tippett

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

The enrollment for the 1973 Seminary Extension Course was fifteen. The teacher was the Rev. Charles L. Dean, Pastor of East Sylva Baptist Church, Sylva, North Carolina.

The course taught was New Testament 182 - Colossians and Philemon. The texts were "The Broadman Bible Commentary" Volume XI and "The Cambridge Bible Commentary" by G. H. P. Thompson.

This course was held at the Franklin Center in the First Baptist Church.

The Franklin Center will open at 7:00 P.M. on September 10, 1974 with the Rev. Charles L. Dean teaching New Testament 272 - The Book of Acts. Since our Bible Study Course for January 1975 will be on the Book of Acts it is most important that all preachers, Sunday School Officers and anyone who will be involved in teaching the 1975 Bible Study attend the NT 272 classes.

Respectfully submitted, Hyldah Shepherd, Director of Franklin Center Seminary Extension

44. Mrs. Cliff Cook presented the report of Resolutions and moved the adoption of the report.

IN APPRECIATION

We the Baptist people of this Seventy-first Annual Session Macon Baptist Association wish to express our appreciation to those who have carefully and prayerfully, planned and carried out the program.

Our Moderator, Jud Duvall, our Field Worker, Rev. Cecil Frady and the many, many others, thank you for the great work you have done.

Our thanks to all the representatives from our different fields over the state and for their message's and fellowship. To all our pastors thank you.

We wish to express our appreciation to Pine Grove and West Franklin churches for their hospitality and for the splendid dinner West Franklin prepared.

May the Holy Spirit lead each church during the coming year, that we may go forth in the Power of His Spirit to be better witnesses to all people everywhere.

May we all "Share His Love" and help win our lost friends and loved ones. John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him, Should not perish but have everlasting life."

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Cliff Cook, Mrs. Clyde Kinsland, Resolutions Committee

45. Place and Preacher report was presented by Rev. Cecil Frady.

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The meeting next year will be held with the Aquone Baptist Church, Nantahala for the night session and with Holly Springs Baptist Church for the afternoon and night sessions.

The Rev. Andy Cloer will deliver the Annual Sermon and the Rev. Eugene Ridley will bring the Doctrinal Sermon.

46. The congregation stood in a moment of silence in memorial to Our Beloved Dead. Rev. Earl Dendy read the names of Our Beloved Dead.

IN MEMORIAM

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BETHEL HILL:
Mrs. Emma Roper

BURNINGTOWN:
Mrs. Ora Martin

CARTOOGECHAYE:
Carl H. Hall
M. W. Beck, Deacon
Frank Johnson

COWEE:
Mrs. Sarah Queen
Lyle Bryson
Purnell Bryson, Deacon
Mrs. Kansas Raby

COWETTA:
Larry Anderson
Mrs. Lewis Woods

ELLIJAY:
Claude Higdon

FRANKLIN, FIRST:
Bowden Dryman, Deacon
Vernon Baldwin
Cary Patton
Dr. H. T. Horsley
John Watson
Mrs. Lula Waters
Mrs. Ross Dean
Mrs. Frank Higdon
Mrs. Sam Stanfield
Glenn Holt

FRANKLIN, WEST:
Claude Patton

GOLDMINE:
Mrs. Ruby Keener

HIGDONVILLE:
Major Higdon

HIGHLANDS, FIRST:
Frank Crane

HOLLY SPRINGS:
Marion Deal, Deacon
Charlie Williams, Deacon

LONGVIEW:
George Farmer
Jim Setser
Harley Baldwin

MOUNT HOPE:
Mrs. Ruth Coss

NEWMAN'S CHAPEL:
T. C. Vinson

OAK DALE:
Charlie Bateman, Deacon
Mrs. Maggie Hopper

OAK GROVE:
Mrs. Margaret Ann Woodard
Alfred Clark
Mrs. Beulah Bradley
Mrs. Minnie Lakey

PINE GROVE:
W. T. Tilson, Deacon
V. T. Watkins
Mrs. Bertha Morgan

PLEASANT HILL:
Mrs. S. V. Stockton

PRENTISS:
Carl Henson, Deacon

RIDGECREST:
Mrs. Ada Morgan Crowder

SHORTOFF:
Mrs. Mamie Crane

SUGAR FORK:
Charlie Bowers

TELLICO:
Harley Carnes

UNION HILL:
Mrs. Ollie Wikle

WALNUT CREEK:
Edison Hedden

WATAUGA:
Robert L. Sanders
Mrs. Mary Morgan
Adam Scott

WELLS GROVE:
Mrs. Lonnie Parker

WINDY GAP:
Mrs. Mary Tallent
Mrs. Polly Grindstaff

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47. Mrs. Justice led the group in singing "Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us."

48. Inspirational Message was brought by Rev. Earl Dendy, II Cor. 9:8; II Tim. 3:16-17; II Peter 1:1-4.

49. The Associational Officers for 1974-75 were installed by Rev. H. L. Stewart.

50. Fred Corbin moved adoption of all reports that had been given. Reports adopted.

51. Rev. Earl Dendy moved close of Session, seconded by Rev. Claude Ledford.

52. The Benediction was by Rev. Claude Ledford. Adjournment at 3:00 P.M.

Jud Duvall, Moderator
Mary Justice, Clerk

Statistical Tables

Table A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Clerk: Mary Justice

Address: Rt. 7, Box 435 City: Franklin State: North Carolina Zip: 28734

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	3 County	4 Year organized as a church	5 Location (1 Open Country; 2 Village (under 500 pop.); 3 Town (500-2499); 4 Small City (2500-9999); Medium City (10,000-49,999): 5 Downtown, 6 Neighborhood, 7 Suburban; Large City (50,000 or more): 8 Downtown, 9 Neighborhood, 0 Suburban)	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	5 Services held twice on Sunday? N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	25 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	26 Value of church property including pastor's home	27 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Aquone	Ralph Postell, Andrews 28901--321-4390	Macon	1942	1	x		13	28	0	85	30	115	1	5	$	$ 10,000	$ 0
Bethel Hill	Ralph Postell, Andrews 28901--321-4390	"	1954	1	x		10	10	3	80	18	98	0	0		14,000	0
Black Mt.	Claude Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin --524-3375	"	1940	1	x		0	2	0	81	25	106			12,500	20,000	0
Briartown	Kenneth Jenkins, Box 158, Bryson City 28713--488-	"	1863	1	x		7	12	5	103	135	238			0		0
Buck Creek	Paul Jones, Rt. 1, Alto Georgia 3028	"	1910	1	x		0	2	5	81	86	167	0	0	0		0
Burningtown	Earl Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741--524-5051	"	1839	1	x		4	1	8	125	60	185		3	0	36,000	0
Calvary	Claude Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734--524-3375	"	1944	1		x	0	3	6	45	22	67	1	0	0	8,000	0
Cartoogechaye	Johnny Raby, 174 Iatta St., Franklin --4-7322	"	1835	1	x		6	0	11	100	34	134	0	0	0	35,000	0
Clear Creek	Odell Owens, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga. --782-4805	"	1879	1	x		2	2	1	87	24	111		1		40,000	0
Cowee	Glenn Whilley, Rt. 4, Box 728, Franklin 28734	"	1828	1	x		4	3	12	260	87	347	0	0	60,000	210,000	27,869
Coweeta	Bobby Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1831	1	x		0	5	4	125	54	179	0	0	0	0	0
Ellijay	Walter Clark, Rt. 1, Alto, Ga. 35150--778-7703	"	1894	1	x		0	0	3	50	22	72	0	0	0	5,000	0
Fairview																	
Flats	Turner E. Ramey, Highland 28741--526-2853	"	1883	1	x		4	1	2	35	10	45	0	0	0	10,000	0
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Box 55, Franklin --4-5117	"	1961	1	x		0	0	0	57	0	57	0	0	0	15,000	1,550
Franklin, First	Nane Starnes (Int) Wayah St., Franklin--4-6347	"	1822	3	x		1	15	24	545	236	781	1	2	0	500,000	30,000
Franklin, West	Andrew D. Cloer, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734--4-6245	"	1961	1	3		5	7	4	118	6	124	0	0	0	50,000	8,000
Gold Mine	W. K. Shields, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	"	1861	1	x		1	2	4	80	51	131	0	0	0		1,627
Higdonville	Gene Hawkins, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	"	1950	1	x		2		3	72	25	97				30,000	
Highlands, First	H. L. Stewart, P.O. Box 625, Highlands 28741-526-2073	"	1896	3	x		5	8	3	357	149	506	0	1	20,000	175,000	
Holly Springs	Judson Hall, Rt. 7, Box 400, Franklin --4-5224	"	1914	1	x		1	3	5	183	36	219	0	0	50,000	100,000	12,657
Iotla	M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734 -- 4-2551	"	1903	1	x		4	6	5	354	112	466	0	0	40,000	100,000	0
Liberty	Clarence Martin, Depot, Franklin 28734	"	1874	1	x		10	6	4	184	130	314	0	0	0	30,000	0
Longview	None	"	1942	1	x		9	8	11	182	52	234	0	0		50,000	0
Mashburn Branch	Howard Willis, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	"	1952	1	x		0	0	1	97	4	101	0	0			
Mount Hope	Eugene Ridley, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734--4-2566	"	1886	1	x		3	17	8	206	95	301	0	0	25,000	85,000	
Mt. Grove																	
Newman's Chapel	Waymond Lunsford, Rt. 1, Clayton Ga. 30525--782-5290	"	1920	1	x		4	7	7	182	12		0	0	0	25,000	
Oak Dale	Wallace Tallent, Rt. 6, Box 989, Franklin--4-3904	"	1888	1	x		4	7	5	69	58	127	1	0	0		
Oak Grove	Earnie Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734--4-7180	"	1888	1	x		5	0	7	204	78	281	0	0			
Pine Grove	L. E. Angel, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734--524-5155	"	Unk.	1	x		1	2	11	71	131	202	0	2	0	25,000	0
Pleasant Hill	Alton Dendy, Rt. 5, Gold Mine Rd., Franklin--4-5155	"	1888	1	x		3	0	4	179	144	323	0	0	0	15,000	0
Prentiss	Jerry Davidson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	"	1914	1	x		1	0	3	72	61	133	0	0	0	25,000	0
Ridgecrest	Guy Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 294, Franklin--524-3952	"	1925	1	x		1	2	5	134	115	249	0	0	0	75,000	
Rose Creek	Fred R. Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin --4-4232	"	1939	1	x		2	5	2				0	0		20,000	0
Shortoff	Roy J. Lorve, Franklin --524-5157	"	1935	1		x	0	2	4	69	67	136	0	0		30,000	0
Sugarfork	James Crayton, Rt. 5, Box 132, Franklin --4-6071	"	1836	1	x		11	12	7	193	41	234	1	0		16,000	0
Tellico	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin --4-4232	"	1884	1	x		0	0	3	46	42	88	0	0	0	0	0
Tesenta																	
Union Hill	Raymond Wilson, Star Rt., Topton 28781	"		1	x		5		2	42	50	92	0	0	0	6,500	
Walnut Creek	Walter Clark	"	1951			x	0	0	2	24	33	57	0	0	0		
Watauga	J. G. Cunningham, Rt. 7, Box 160 Franklin --4-4341	"	1886	1	x		2	6	5	152	120	272	2	0	20	40,000	0
Wells Grove	Jud Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734--4-2433	"		1	x		4	3	12	87	34	121	0	1	0		
West Union	Paul Morgan, Rt. 7, Box 163 Franklin 28734	"	1962	1	x		0	0	0	27	6	33	0	0	0		
White Oak Flats																	
Windy Gap	Grady Norman, 11 Dillard Town Rd., Sylva 28779	"	1949	1	x		1	1	2	97	36	133	0	0			
	--586-2404																
TOTALS							134	186	209	5,260	2,480	7,545	5	15	$207,500	$1,800,500	$80,076

Table B SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Sunday School Director: Cliff Cook

Address: Depot St. Franklin North Carolina 28734 (City State Zip)

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	54 Cradle Roll enrolment (under 2 years of age)	55 Preschool enrolment (2-5 years--not in school)	56 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	59 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	60 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	61 Adults Aweay enrolment	62 Homebound Units enrolment	63 General officers enrolment	64 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	65 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	66 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	67 Number of Bible Study groups	68 Bible Study groups enrolment	69 Weekday Bible Study enrolment	70 Church V.B.S. enrolment	71 Mission V.B.S. enrolment	72 Total V.B.S. enrolment
Aquone	Dayce Waters, Star Rt., Topton 28781		12	14	7	7	36	9	0	0	0	0	85	77	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel Hill	Gary Wishon, Topton 28781	3	7	6	5	8	45	10	0	0	0	0	84	65	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	Mitchell Rowland, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	3	3	4	4	15	4	20	0	5	0	58	39	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brairtown	Ronald Douthet, Star Rt., Box 113, Topton 28781	0	1	8	8	8	26	5	2	0	5	0	65	65	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek																				
Burrington	Bob Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	8	7	13	25	20	12	0	0	3	0	88	54	0	0	0	25	0	25
Calvary	Ray Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	1	7	7	7	7	7	3	0	0	0	2	57	30	0	0	0	48	0	48
Cartoogechaye	Tim Southard, Rt., Franklin 28734	4	4	12	16	15	36	8	0	0	0	0	95	95	0	0	0	54	0	54
Clear Creek	Morris Wilson, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	2	2	3	7	5	17	4	0	0	0	0	40	37	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	Charles Cabe, 324 Harrison Ave., Franklin	8	11	25	32	17	63	32	0	0	3	0	191	125	0	0	0	67	0	67
Coweeta	Claude Cowart, Otto 28763	5	9	7	7	21	8	3	0	16	0	81	5	51	0	0	0	35	0	35
Ellijay	Morlan Bowman, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	2	5	5	0	20	10	10	22	0	0	0	74	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairview																				
Flats	Cling Brown, Clayton, Ga.	0	5	10	20		35	0	0	0	5	0	70	50	0	0	0	40	0	40
Franklin, East	Howard Plemmons, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	4	3	10	0	12	0	0	0	5	0	34	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	J. C. Jacobs, 389 Harrison Ave., Franklin	54	11	24	54	74	70	90	96	0	24	5	0	448	190	0	0	124	0	124
Franklin, West	Doug McDowell, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	2	7	10	15	6	12	7	7	0	2	0	68	40	0	0	0	45	0	45
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	7	5	5	9	15	12	19	0	0	1	0	72	52	1	20	0	50	0	50
Higdonville	Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	1	6	8	11	21	36	10	0	0	0	0	74	40	0	0	0	36	0	36
Highlands, First	Baker Crane, Box 242, Highlands 28741	10	0	40	43	7	50	0	0	0	4	0	154	76	0	0	0	65	0	65
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48-A Lakeside Dr., Franklin	0	19	10	10	8	30	21	0	0	3	0	101	80	0	0	0	46	0	46
Iotla	Jim Campbell, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	5	7	23	18	13	70	4	0	0	7	0	157	91	0	0	0	64	0	64
Liberty	Ralph Allen, Franklin 28734	3	11	16	24	34	62	15	0	0	5	0	170	102	0	0	0	80	0	80
Longview	Kenneth Jones, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	8	12	18	22	16	28	30	0	0	0	0	134	96	0	0	0	76	0	76
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	3	8	6	19	10	32	0	0	0	0	0	79	0	0	0	0	53	0	53
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Franklin 28734	6	20	36	23	21	45	12	0	0	2	0	65	108	0	0	0	87	0	87
Mountain Grove																				
Newman's Chapel	Max McGuire, Otto	10	0	14	16	25	18	22	0	0	2	0	118	67	0	0	0	105	0	105
Oak Dale	Jimmie Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	4	9	13	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	39	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Ed Guy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	8	9	8	12	12	15	0	0	6	0	70	51	25	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 7, Box 170, Franklin 28734	1	4	4	3	2	8	13	0	0	2	0	37	39	1	10	0	27	0	27
Pleasant Hill	Tommy Bateman, Lake Emory Rd., Franklin 28734	0	8	5	0	13	20	30	0	0	0	0	80	80	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss	Harry Brabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	1	5	5	5	6	21	10	0	0	7	0	60	32	0	0	0	39	0	39
Ridgecrest	Eugene Pickens, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	4	3	17	11	11	36	10	0	0	2	0	94	50	1	22	0	45	0	45
Rose Creek		2	4	4	6	1	12	6	15	10	7	70	38	0	0	0	0	38	0	38
Shortoff	James L. Lowe, Highlands 28741	1	4	6	3	4	16	11	0	0	0	0	45	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sugarfork	Alex Deal, Rt. 7, Box 370, Franklin 28734	2	16	25	12	17	45	23	0	0	0	0	140	100	0	0	0	45	0	45
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0	3	7	2	1	11	7	0	0	4	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tesenta																				
Union Hill	Arnold Passmore, Star, Topton 28781	3	0	8	15	23	0	0	0	0	8	0	51	55	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	1	5	6	5	2	5	0	5	0	29	21	1	12	0	11	0	11
Watauga	Max Gladwell, Franklin 28734	11	9	10	10	22	38	14	0	0	6	0	120	85	0	0	0	89	0	89
Wells Grove	Cliff Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	4	8	10	13	18	32	16	0	0	0	0	101	68	0	0	0	49	0	49
West Union	Harley Kirkland, Rt. 2, Box 222, Franklin 28734	0	2	3	5	4	21	0	0	0	0	0	35	35	0	0	0	33	0	32
White Oak Flats																				
Windy Gap	Edgar Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	1	2	7	5	9	8	9	11	7	6	0	58	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	135	264	450	516	347	1,079	487	178	33	129	158	3,187	2,678	219	64	0	1,475	0	1,475

Table C CHURCH TRAINING

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Training Union Director: Johnny Rogers

Address: Rt. 1 City: Highlands State: N.C. Zip: 28741

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	73 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under - not in school)	74 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	75 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	76 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	77 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	78 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	79 General officers enrolment	80 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	81 Total Training Union ongoing enrolment	82 Average weekly Church Training attendance	83 New Member Orientation: Registration	84 New Member Orientation: Completed	85 Church Leader Training: Registration	86 Church Leader Training: Completed	87 Member Training Projects: Registration	88 Member Training Projects: Completed
Aquone	None																
Bethel Hill	Mickey Roger, Topton 28781	4	7	5	7	15	2	4	0	43	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	None																
Briartown	Ronald Douthit, Star Rt., Box 113 Topton 28781	4	5	2	8	25	5	6	0	50	37	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	None																
Burningtown	Ruth Simonds, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	3	10	5	2	9	1	1	0	31	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	None																
Cartoogechaye	Halen Roane, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	6	8	10	20	0	0	0	44	44	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clear Creek	None																
Cowee	Roy Tippett, Rt. 4, Box 63, Franklin 28734	5	9	17	0	16	14	3	0	64	47	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coweeta	None																
Ellijay	None																
Fairview	None																
Flats	None																
Franklin, East	Howard Plemens, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	1	0	9	0	1	0	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	None																
Franklin, West	None																
Gold Mine	Richard McCline, Rt. 1, Highland 28741	3	3	6	9	5	4	5	0	35	34	0	0	0	0	0	0
Higdonville	Ray Young, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	4	6	5	0	10	5	0	0	30	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highlands, First	None																
Holly Springs	Frank Plummer, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	3	6	2	4	15	6	2	0	38	25	2	0	0	0	0	0
Iotla	Doris Lynch, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	3	2	0	12	0	0	0	17	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	Joe Allen, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	7	7	8	16	23	0	0	0	71	51	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longview	Vie Perry, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	7	5	6	25	4	5	0	52	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Howard Mincey, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	1	4	15	10	7	1	0	0	37	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Richard Burnette, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	2	13	13	3	7	3	1	0	45	33	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain Grove	None																
Newman's Chapel	Weaver Fox, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	4	10	5	4	11	3	2	0	39	27	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Dale	None																
Oak Grove		0	0	4	2	6	5	5	0	22	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grove	None																
Pleasant Hill	Barbara Cromer, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	7	7	0	0	21	11	11	0	63	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss		3	5	7	0	8	0	1	0	24	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ridgecrest	Richard Mehaffey, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	5	11	7	9	15	3	2	0	52	25	0	0	0	0	6	6
Rose Creek	None																
Shortoff	None																
Sugarfork	Harold Crisp, Rt. 5, Box 933, Franklin 28734	7	11	3	2	11	6	5	0	45	36	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tellico	None																
Tesenta	None																
Union Hill	None																
Walnut Creek	None																
Watauga	Frances Bishop, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	5	6	6	1	10	2	5	0	35	22	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wells Grove		0	8	12	5	9	6	0	0	40	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Union	None																
White Oak Flats	None																
Windy Cap	None																
- 36 -	TOTALS	67	144	138	80	289	66	59	0	888	671	2	0	0	0	6	6

Table D CHURCH MUSIC

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director John Johnson

Address Hemlock Drive City Franklin State N.C. Zip 28734

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	89 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under--not in school)	90 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	91 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	92 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	93 Handbell ringers enrolment	94 Vocal ensemble enrolment	95 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	96 General music leaders enrolment	97 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	98 Total ongoing church music enrolment	99 Average weekly church music attendance	100 Church music study group enrolment
Aquone	None	0	0	10	15	0	0	0	0	0	25	18	0
Bethel Hill	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	John Murphy, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briartown	Carl Cross, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	None												
Burningtown	Mrs. Lucille, Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	7	1	13	0	0	0	0	0	21	13	0
Calvary	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cartoogechaye	Steve Reeves, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	6	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	26	26	0
Clear Creek	Mrs. Dolly McCall, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	John Johnson, P.O. Box 365, Franklin 28734	0	12	0	20	0	0	0	9	0	41	32	0
Coweeta	Grady Stiles, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	3	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	17	15	0
Ellijay	Carl Mincey, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairview	None												
Flats	Ulyss Brown, Rabun Gap, Georgia	0	0	2	15	0	0	1	1	0	19	19	0
Franklin, East	None												
Franklin, First	J. H. Powell, 79 Womack St., Franklin 28734	10	25	30	20	0	0	0	3	0	88	70	0
Franklin, West	Tommy Norman, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	4	3	15	0	0	0	1	0	23	17	0
Higdonville	Fred Corbin, Rt. 5, Box 700, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highlands, First	Mrs. Sonjia Stewart, P.O. Box 152, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	15	10	0
Holly Springs	Mrs. Jim Williamson, 38-A Lakeside Dr., Franklin 28734	0	13	8	22	0	0	0	0	0	45	15	0
Iotla	Mrs. John H. Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 881, Franklin 28734	0	0	7	18	0	0	0	0	0	25	12	0
Liberty	Spurgeon Freeman, Rt. 3, Bryson City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longview	Dale Hall, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Bonnie Holland, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	17	12	20	0	0	0	3	0	52	43	0
Mt. Grove	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	27	0
Newman's Chapel	None												
Oak Dale	Ruth Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Luetta Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	4	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	26	20	0
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Roy Moffett, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss	Doris McConnell, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ridgecrest	Howell Smith, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	8	6	12	0	0	0	3	0	29	14	0
Rose Creek	None												
Shortoff	Vic Wood, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sugarfork	None												
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0	1	4	10	0	0	0	1	0	16	10	0
Tesenta	None												
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	None	0	0	4	8	0	0	0	1	0	13	9	0
Watauga	Mrs. Troy Ledford, Rt. 7, Box 856, Franklin 28734	0	0	6	11	0	0	0	4	0	21	15	0
Wells Grove	Jay Jennings, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	7	10	12	0	0	3	2	0	34	20	0
West Union	None												
White Oak Flats	None												
Windy Gap	Blanche Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	2	4	5	6	0	0	0	2	0	19	10	0
	TOTALS	12	111	152	272	0	0	4	32	0	594	415	0

Table E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING June 30 (Month & Day) 1974

Association: MACON
State: NORTH CAROLINA
Associational WMU Director: Mrs. Mamie Raby
Address: Rt. 7 City: Franklin State: NC Zip: 28734

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
		Mission Friends (5 years and under--not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under--not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU ongoing enrolment
Aquone	Mrs. Ollie Lunsford, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	4	0	19
Bethel Hill	None															
Black Mountain	None															
Brairtown	None															
Buck Creek	None															
Burningtown	None															
Calvary	None															
Cartoogechaye	None	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	3	4	0	10
Clear Creek	None															
Cowee	Mrs. Bennie Reynolds, Rt. 4, Box 129, Franklin 28734	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	8	5	0	28	3	0	44
Coweeta	Mrs. Margaret Carpenter, P.O. Box 133, Otto 28763	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	5	3	0	12
Ellijay	None															
Fairview	None															
Flats	None															
Franklin, East	None															
Franklin, First	Mrs. David Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	2	2	0	1	3	0	8	12	17	0	11	35	7	0	82
Franklin, West	Mrs. Eleanor Cochran, 32 Curtis St., Franklin 28734	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	10	0	0	12	1	0	23
Gold Mine	None															
Higdonville	None															
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Penland, P.O. Box 999, Highlands 28741	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	26	5	0	35	14	0	80
Holly Springs	Mrs. Lefferts Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	9
Iotla	Mrs. M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Box 247, Franklin 28734	1	1	1	1	1		5	10	16	10	10	20	7	0	73
Liberty	None															
Longview	None															
Mashburn Branch	None															
Mount Hope	Mrs. Jean Holt, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	2	2	1	1	1	0	7	9	18	13	18	12	7	0	77
Mountain Grove	None															
Newman's Chapel	None															
Oak Dale	None															
Oak Grove	None															
Pine Grove	None															
Pleasant Hill	None															
Prentiss	None															
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Jeter Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	10	0	0	14
Rose Creek	None															
Shortoff	None															
Sugarfork	None															
Tellico	None															
Tesenta	None															
Union Hill	None															
Walnut Creek	None															
Watauga	None															
Wells Grove	None															
West Union	None															
White Oak Flats	None															
Windy Gap	None															
	TOTALS	5	8	5	3	12	0	33	31	95	82	46	182	52	0	443

Table F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association MACON

State NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Brotherhood Director None

Address City Franklin State NC Zip 28734

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	116 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	117 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	118 RA leader and committee	119 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	120 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	121 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	122 Other Baptist men groups	123 Brotherhood director and other Brotherhood General Officers	124 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	125 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Aquone	None										
Bethel Hill	None										
Black Mountain	None										
Briartown	None										
Buck Creek	None										
Burningtown	None										
Calvary	None										
Cartoogechaye	None										
Clear Creek	None										
Cowee	Roy Rickman, 92 Golfview Dr., Franklin 28734	9	14	1	0	40	0	0	1	0	64
Coweeta	None										
Ellijay	None										
Fairview	None										
Flats	None										
Franklin, East	None										
Franklin, First	None										
Franklin, West	Mike Arnold, Bidwell St., Franklin 28734										
Gold Mine	None										
Higdonville	None										
Highlands, First	None	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Holly Springs	None										
Iotla	None										
Liberty	None										
Longview	None										
Mashburn Branch	None										
Mount Hope	Al Whitaker, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	12	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Mountain Grove	None										
Newman's Chapel	None										
Oak Dale	None										
Oak Grove	None										
Pine Grove	None										
Pleasant Hill	None										
Prentiss	None										
Ridgecrest	None										
Rose Creek	None										
Shortoff	None										
Sugarfork	None										
Tellico	None										
Tesenta	None										
Union Hill	None										
Walnut Creek	None										
Watauga	None										
Wells Grove	None										
West Union	None										
White Oak Flats	None										
Windy Gap	None										
	TOTALS	35	24	2	0	40	0	0	1	0	101

Table G Total Receipts, Local Expenditures

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Treasurer: Mrs. Elizabeth Mason

Address: Franklin City, North Carolina State, 28734 Zip

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21 Number of tithers	22 Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year: None	Forward Program	Other	23 Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	24 Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	126 Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	127 All other receipts	128 Total receipts	129 Money borrowed during the year	130 Church staff salaries	131 Money paid out on new construction during the year	132 Debt retirement during the year	133 Church literature	134 All other local expenditures	135 Total local expenditures
Aquone	Mrs. Carole Bateman, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	x			0	0	$ 8,500	$ 300	$ 8,800	$ 0	$ 250	$ 8,000	$ 0	$ 40	$ 629	$ 8,919
Bethel Hill	Carlene Grant, Box 311, Topton 28781	2	x			0	0	5,433	0	5,513	0	1,703	866	0	243	1,384	4,276
Black Mountain	Dover Shope, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	6	x			0	0	3,209	0	3,209	0	1,005	400	0	50	1,515	2,970
Friartown	Miss Jennilou May, Star Rt., Topton 28781	17	x			0	0	8,615	0	8,615	0	3,016	1,062	0	192	245	4,515
Buck Creek	Floy Icenhower, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	x			0	0	3,154	0	0	0	0	764	0	0	0	0
Burrington	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	40	x			10	3	6,600	0	6,600	0	1,890	184	0	230	3,376	5,680
Calvary	Miss Mary Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	6	x			5.5	3	2,384	0	2,384	0	1,250	1,715	0	65	250	3,270
Cartoogechaye	Mrs. J. D. Dayton, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10	x			5	5	11,597	41	11,638	0	4,365	895	0	491	2,037	7,790
Clear Creek	Griffin Hicks, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	4	x			0	0	4,277	0	4,277	0	870	740	0	215	333	1,280
Cowee	John Roper, Rt. 3, Box 1071, Franklin 28734	35	x			3.6	2.4	37,060	24,500	61,560	32,000	8,425	60,545	37,495	1,480	7,930	115,892
Coweeta	Mrs. Louise Stiles, Rt. 1, Box 188 Otto 28763	3	x			2	2	4,706	2,989	7,695	0	1,990	1,200	0	208	642	4,041
Ellijay	Linda Young, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3	x			0	0		0	0	0	1,100	780	0	133	718	2,731
Fairview																	
Flats	Eldon Miller, Rabun Gap, Ga. 30568	0	x			0	0	1,450	0	0	0	0	25	0	15	0	40
Franklin, East	Mrs. Marvel Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	3	x			0	0	3,212	0	3,212	0	1,570	0	393	144	589	2,696
Franklin, First	Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, 389 Harrison Ave., Franklin	80	x			20	3	80,000	0	80,000	0	23,500	0	22,000	3,500	17,360	66,360
Franklin, West	Mrs. Jean Farmer, 137 Palmer Drive, Franklin	13	x			5	2.5	20,820	0	20,820	10,000	5,280	20,000	2,320	200	1,500	29,300
Gold Mine	Mrs. Verstle Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	x			0	0	6,269	0	6,269	0	1,010	4,169	0	247	2,067	7,493
Higdonville	Grayson Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x			20	0	8,120	0	8,120	0	1,925	450	0	361	2,041	1,440
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Crisp, P.O. Box 788, Highlands 28741	12	x			6	3	31,357	68	31,426	0	8,792	0	1,835	859	10,009	21,496
Holly Springs	Paul Ammons, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734		x			7	4	15,693	0	15,693	0	3,984	726	5,762	750	1,145	12,367
Iotla	Melvin Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	30	x			10		24,961	0	24,961	0	7,440	0	0	471	9,670	17,581
Liberty	Joesphine Shepherd, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734		x			10		12,385	0	12,385	0	5,600	0	0	386	2,519	8,506
Longview	Zeb Guffey, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	32	x			10	0	23,125	217	3,332	0	7,880	0	0	718	8,994	7,592
Mashburn Branch	V. L. Holland, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734		x			0	0	6,331	0	6,331	0	2,522	0	2,177	375	795	5,869
Mount Hope	Mrs. W. N. Dalrymple, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734		x			10	.03	32,000	1,000	33,000	0	6,122	4,046	12,347	1,053	3,232	26,798
Mountain Grove																	
Newman's Chapel	Robert Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	26	x					14,416	0	14,416	0	5,675	7,550	0	389	841	14,416
Oak Dale	George H. Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734		x			0	0	5,513	0	5,513	0	2,650	146	0	90	1,727	4,613
Oak Grove	Mrs. Willard Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734		x			10	0	7,725	0	7,725	0	4,020	3,500	0	364	1,996	9,880
Pine Grove	Mrs. Aileen Holland, Rt. 5, Box 309, Franklin		x			0	0	5,102	0	5,102	0	2,533	0	312	255	1,014	4,115
Pleasant Hill	Rebecca Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734		x			0	0	6,426	1,029	7,455	0	1,202	35	0	115	0	4,674
Prentiss	Miss Jean Brendle, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	2	x			0	0	3,014	111	3,125	0	1,411	0	0	180	657	2,248
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Joe Taylor, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	15	x			0	0	10,560	0	10,560	0	4,800	952	0	208	1,219	7,179
Rose Creek	Beulon McCall, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	322	255	578	0	0	0	0	0		
Shortoff	Harry Elmore, Highlands 28741	0	x					5,489	0	5,489	0	805	0	0	178	2,298	3,281
Sugarfork	Marie Jennings, 69 Baird Cove Rd., Franklin		x			0	0	11,602		11,602	0	5,586	2,021	0	533	1,945	10,086
Tellico	Eva Mae Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0	x			10	0	1,507	0	1,507	0	700	0	0	55	600	1,255
Tesenta	None																
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328 Topton 28781	0	x			0	0	1,152	0	1,152	0	777	700	0	0	226	1,703
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0	1,240	785	2,025	0	628	0	0	55	481	1,165
Watauga	Jim Hedden, Rt. 7, Box 805, Franklin 28734	20	x			0	0	13,178	0	13,178	0	4,915	454	0	796	6,185	12,350
Wells Grove	Jackie Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734	12	x			0	0	12,840	0	12,840	0	2,730	0	7,500	331	2,154	12,715
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	x			0	0					662	614		137	489	1,902
White Oak Flats	None																
Windy Gap	Mrs. Grady Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 53, Franklin	6	x			0	0	4,413	0	4,413	2,000	1,260	6,450	1,043	66	712	9,533
	TOTALS	377						$465,757	$31,295	$464,795	$44,000	$141,060	$128,989	$93,184	$16,178	$101,524	$470,017

Table H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING June 30 (Month & Day) 1974

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary): Cecil Frady

Address: Franklin (City) North Carolina (State) 28734 (Zip)

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150
		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
		Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the aged	Designated: All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Aquone	Mrs. Willa M. Jacobs, Aquone 28703	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0
Bethel Hill	Jerry Owenby, Box 101, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	40	0	0	80	80
Black Mountain	Jack Hodgins, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	29	300	355	355
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, Star Rt., Box 293, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,478	0	120	93	116	0	0	1,807
Buck Creek	Parrick Halsburton, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	0	40
Burningtown	Bill Simonds, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	610	198	38	0	0	0	19	20	3	0	278	888
Calvary	Mrs. Randal Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard Ga. 30537	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	25	0	40	25	25	25	220	260
Cartoogechaye	Barbara Southard, Rt. 7, Box 591, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	0	211	263	0	1,973	3,547	3,747
Clear Creek	Naomi Chastain, Rt. 1, Box 280, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	162	0	0	0	0	0	54	66	0	0	122	283
Cowee	Mrs. Raymond Womack, Rt. 4, Box 428, Franklin	0	0	0	1,347	885	35	341	1,156	0	51	66	12	185	2,731	4,078
Coweeta	Mrs. Maggie Mason, Rt. 2, Box 1213, Franklin	0	0	0	100	100	0	75	120	0	135	85	0	0	515	615
Ellijay	Irene Adams, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	95	0	0	0	50	0	100	66	0	0	311	3,042
Fairview	None															
Flats	Jerry Kiley, Rabun Gap, Ga. 30568	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	113	0	1,823	1,001	
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Box 1105, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	53	73	73
Franklin, First	Mrs. Barbara Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 1327, Franklin	0	0	0	7,700	2,300	300	840	1,710	0	170	200	60	360	5,940	1,364
Franklin, West	Mrs. Mabel Gregory, Rt. 1, Box 15, Franklin	0	0	0	529	120	0	50	100	0	17	17	0	8	312	837
Gold Mine	Ervin Keener, Rt. 1, Highland 28741	158	0	158	87	60	25	50	85	0	100	100	50	125	595	840
Higdonville	Mrs. Anne Berry, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	325		0	88	0	175	122	0	0	710	2,151
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, P.O. Box 28, Scaly Mt. 28775	0	0	0	1,440	770	75	415	822	0	511	185	65	0	2,845	4,283
Holly Springs	Mrs. Frank Plummer, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	704	364	105	100	335	0	600	100	135	855	2,594	3,298
Iotla	Mrs. J. H. Williams, Rt. 3, Box 924, Franklin	0	0	0	1,863	600	127	284	606	0	96	0	4	0	1,717	3,580
Liberty	Sue McConnell, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,142	250	0	0	0	0	383	66	7	0	706	1,848
Longview	Zeb Guffey, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	3,183	944			735						1,679	4,826
Mashburn Branch	Sarah Belle Angel, Rt. 6, Box 978, Franklin	0	0	0	50	50	20	0	0	0	128	97	116		411	461
Mount Hope	George Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	2,447	689	62	312	612	0	63	50	0	165	1,953	4,400
Mt. Grove	None															
Newman's Chapel	W. D. Long, Rt. 1, Box 105, Dillard Ga. 30537	0	0	0	160	120	0	76	230	0	137	188	0	0	1,151	1,311
Oak Dale	George Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	181	0	0	0	0	95	73	0	0	349	349
Oak Grove	Mrs. Rozell McCoy, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	615	210	0	0	0	0	135	0	0	0	0	960
Pine Grove	Mrs. Aileen Haberman, Rt. 5, Box 309, Franklin	144	0	144	23	0	0	0	0	0	72	50	0	0	122	290
Pleasant Hill	Jeanell Sanders, Box 850, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	31	8	0	0	0	0	70	200	32	0	310	341
Prentiss	Miss Joan Brendle, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	25	70	0	24	25	9	25	14	30	0	197	222
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Edward Crawford, Rt. 7, Box 562, Franklin	0	0	0	180	504	42	35	25	0	60	35	0	0	701	881
Rose Creek	Della Cook, Box 925, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0						25	35		25	85	85
Shortoff	Harold Neeley, Rt. 2, Box 20 Highland 28741	0	0	0	72	167	75	0	0	0	78	100	74	0	493	565
Sugarfork	Dewitt Thompson, Rt. 5, Box 140, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	85	145	22	0	285	0	170	116	41	0	780	865
Tellico	John Slogle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	114	8	0	0	0	0	25	9	10	0	52	165
Tesenta	None															
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Elmira Hedden, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	50	0	25	100	0	0	0	35	0	0	160	210
Watauga	Mrs. Ralph Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin	0	600	600	0	0	0	0	35	0	423	206	214	1,905	2,784	3,384
Wells Grove	Miss Theresa Roper, P.O. Box 51, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	120	220	0	0	150	0	234	102	0	150	856	976
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	0	50	50
White Oak Flats	None															
Windy Gap	Mrs. Paul Smith, 113 Mashburn St., Franklin	0	0	0	70	50	0	330	0	0	25	30	0	0	435	505
	TOTALS	$302	$600	$902	$22,817	$9,338	$976	$1,627	$8,972	0	$4,723	$3,032	$1,013	$7,952	$37,220	$53,549

Table I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING June 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Moderator: Judson Duvall

Address: Franklin, North Carolina 28734 (City, State, Zip)

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
													Does church have or observe?														
		No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. other-type missions started during the year	No. other-type missions currently operating	Number of active deacons	Number of church vocations volunteers	Doctrinal Emphasis Week enrolment	Number of college students baptized	Kindergarten enrolment	Day care enrolment	Does church plan or contemplate a major building program within the year?	Library	Recreation staff	Children's worship service	Youth Week	Summer Youth Program	History Committee	Broadcast on Radio or Television	Christian Home Week	Annuity Board Retirement Program	Annuity Board Insurance Program	Race Relations Sunday	Royal Ambassador Week	Filmstrip projector	Deacon training	State paper in budget
Aquone	Dallis Rowland, Star Rt., Topton 28781					5						y			y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Bethel Hill	Curtiss Passmore, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Black Mountain	Bryson Hodgins, Rt. 2, Box 1034, Franklin	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Briartown		0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Buck Creek	Clyde Vaughn, Rt. 1, Box 344, Highlands 28741																										
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Calvary	Jerry Brown, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Cartoogechaye	Roy Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	3	3	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	y	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Clear Creek	Frank McCall, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Cowee		0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	y	n	y	n	n	y	n	n	y	n	n	n
Coweeta	Grady Stiles, Rt. 1, Box 188, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Ellijay	Walter Young, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Fairview																											
Flats	George Mix, Scaly Mt. 28775	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0		n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Franklin, First	Verlon Swafford, 159 Hurst Circle, Franklin	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	n	y	n	n	y	y	n	y	n	y	n	n
Franklin, West	Tommy Norman, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Gold Mine		0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Higdonville	Bill Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734																										
Highlands, First	Glen Shuler, Rt. 2, Box 46-A, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	y
Holly Springs	William G. Crawford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	y
Iotla	Stanley Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	y	n	n
Liberty	Wiley Shepherd, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	y	y	n	y	y	n	y	n	n			n	n	n	n	n
Longview	Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n
Mashburn Branch	Berlon Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734												y														
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734					10						n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Mountain Grove																											
Newman's Chapel	David Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Oak Dale	Howard Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734																										
Oak Grove	Frank Browning, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734								1			n	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 7, Box 170, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Pleasant Hill	Dillard Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 850, Franklin	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Prentiss	Jimmy Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Ridgecrest	Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Rose Creek	Beulon McCall, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Shortoff	Ed Talley, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Sugarfork		0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n
Tellico	Earl T. Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Tesenta																											
Union Hill						5						n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Walnut Creek						2						n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Watauga	Gene Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	y	n	y	n	n	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	y
Wells Grove		0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
West Union																											
White Oak Flats																											
Windy Gap	Thad Wilson, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y
- 42 -	TOTALS	3	3	0	0	204	0	0	1	0	0																

HISTORICAL RECORD
North Carolina, Macon County Baptist Association
Organized in 1904

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1904	Franklin	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	J. A. Brendel
1905	Sugarfork	J. W. Kesterson	H. D. Dean	J. W. Watson
1906	Briartown	W. Bradley	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1907	Cartoogechaye	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	A. S. Solesby
----	----------	----------	H. D. Dean	J. R. Pendergrass
1908	Coweeta	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	T. C. King
1909	Burningtown	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1910	Watauga	F. Morgan	A. C. Hurst	T. J. Vinson
1911	Liberty	T. C. Bryson	A. C. Hurst	R. P. McCracken
1912	Pine Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	F. M. Morgan
1913	Oak Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	B. S. West
1914	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. T. Potts
1915	Pleasant Hill	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	R. T. Vann
1916	Mount Hope	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1917	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. L. Bradley
1918	Prentiss	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. C. Owens
1919	Sugar Fork	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1920	Holly Springs	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	J. A. Bryson
1921	Burningtown	J. A. Bryson	Robert Ramsey	D. C. McCoy
1922	Franklin	R. P. McCracken	Robert Ramsey	W. L. Bradley
1923	Nanahala	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	G. A. Cloer
1924	Watauga	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. L. Kinsland
1925	Tellico	H. D. Dean	T. C. Bryson	W. R. Rickman
1926	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	E. N. Gardner
1927	Holly Springs	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1928	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1929	Ridge Crest	W. M. Lee	R. M. Ledford	W. E. Abernathy
1930	Sugarfork	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1931	Pleasant Hill	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1932	Pine Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. F. Burrell
1933	Briartown	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1934	Franklin	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. L. Bradley
1935	Oak Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. R. Rickman
1936	Rainbow Springs	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. F. Mayberry
1937	Coweeta	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	C. F. Rogers
1938	Cartoogechaye	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. G. Benfield
1939	Clear Creek	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	M. A. Love
1940	Ellijay	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. W. Williams
1941	Newman Chapel	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1942	Burningtown	C. C. Welch	R. M. Ledford	G. A. Cloer
1943	Watauga	C. C. Welch	S. J. Smith	T. N. Carter
1944	Goldmine	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. C. Scruggs
1945	Holly Springs	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. F. Marchman
1946	Mount Hope	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	J. I. Vinson
1947	Cowee	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	H. E. Marchman
1948	Highlands	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	C. E. Parker
1949	Ridge Crest	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	Paul Nix
1950	Sugarfork	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	E. N. Holden
1951	Franklin	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	M. W. Chapman
	Watauga	----------	----------	W. L. Sorrells
1952	Oak Grove	H. H. Stocktor	Clyde Drake	John Corbitt
	Iotla	----------	----------	C. T. Taylor
1953	Newman's Chapel	W. L. Sorrells	----------	Arvil Taylor
	Tellico	----------	Vernon Higdon	Frank Reed
1954	Longview	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
	Ellijay	----------	----------	John Buell

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HISTORICAL REOCRD (continued):

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1955	Higdonville	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	L. Eugene Walter
	Mt. Hope	----------	----------	----------
1956	Burningtown	----------	----------	W. A. Cloer
	Iotla	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
1957	Watauga	M. C. Wyatt	Vernon Higdon	Clyde Rhinehart
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	----------
1958	Liberty	L. Eugene Walter	Mrs. J. Campbell	Doyle Miller
	Wells Grove	----------	----------	----------
	Prentiss	----------	----------	Lee Crawford
1959	Wells Grove	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	R. R. Standley
	Holly Springs	----------	----------	J. H. Propst, Jr.
1960	Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	L. A. Howard
	Ridge Crest	----------	----------	Thad R. Dowdle
1961	Pine Grove	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. J. Campbell	Clyde W. Collins
	Iotla	----------	----------	Paul M. Sorrells
1962	Sugar Fork	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Judson Hall
	Coweeta	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Otto Parham
1963	Gold Mine	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Robert L. Clark
	Highlands	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	R. C. Bailey
1964	Windy Gap	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	Carl E. Sizemore
	West Franklin	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	L. C. Pinnix
1965	Cartoogechaye	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Gene Southard
	Ridge Crest	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Guy Duvall
1966	Oak Grove	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Clyde Collins
	Ellijay	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Cecil Frady
1967	Watauga	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Bill Shields
	Wells Grove			Earl Dendy
1968	East Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Pleasant Hill	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. Roy Smith
1969	Mashburn Branch	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	Mack Reed
	Mt. Hope	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	John R. Willis
1970	Newman Cahpel	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	M. I. Brock
	Holly Springs	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	Cecil Frady
1971	Cowee	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
	Longview	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
1972	Higdonville	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jack King
	Burningtown	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jim Crayton
1973	Sugar Fork	Earl Dendy	Mrs. Linda Cabe	Glenn Whitley
	First Highlands	Earl Dendy	Mrs. Mary Justice	Gene Hawkins
1974	Pine Grove	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	Cecil Frady
	West Franklin	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	H. L. Stewart

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(Night Session)

HOLLY SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
(Afternoon and Night Session)

AUGUST 14 - 15, 1975

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The next Annual Night Session of the Association will be held with the Ridgecrest Baptist Church, and the afternoon and night session with the Liberty Baptist Church on August 12-13, 1976.

Moderator ..... Rev. Judson Duvall
Clerk ..... Mrs. Mary Justice

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator ..... Rev. Earl Dendy
Vice Moderator ..... Rev. Alton Dendy
Treasurer ..... Mrs. Elizabeth Mason
Clerk ..... Mrs. Mary Justice
Historian ..... Miss Nora Moody

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Sunday School Director ..... Cliff Cook
Associate Director ..... Howard Moore
Secretary ..... Gladys Jennings
Pianist ..... Susan Seay
Chorister ..... Dean Lamb
Superintendent of Training ..... Rev. Eugene Ridley
Superintendent of Evangelism ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Superintendent of Extension ..... Rev. Wiley Gibson
Superintendent of Vacation Bible School ..... Mrs. Janet Long

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Adults and Up ..... Mrs. Cliff Cook
Young People 12-17 ..... Mrs. Jean Frady
Children 6-11 ..... Mrs. Jud Duvall
Pre-School-Birth-5 ..... Miss Millie Drake

CHURCH TRAINING OFFICERS

Director ..... John Rogers
Associate Director .....
Secretary ..... Mrs. Lucille McClure
Pianist .....
Chorister .....
Pastor Advisor ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Adults ..... Mrs. Jean Frady
Youth ..... Richard McClure
Children ..... Mrs. Clyde Drake
Pre-School ..... Mrs. Linda Fisher

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION OFFICERS

Director ..... Mrs. Mamie Raby
Associate Director ..... Mrs. Sue Cabe
Baptist Women ..... Mrs. Doris Rickman
Young Baptist Women ..... Mrs. Jane Downs
Acteen Director ..... Miss Millie Drake
Girls in Action ..... Miss Carolyn Dowdle
Mission Friends ..... Mrs. Patsy Drake
Recording Secretary ..... Mrs. Linda Plummer
Social Chairman ..... Mrs. Zena P. Brogden
Secretary & Treasurer ..... Mrs. Connie Campbell

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Rev. Jim Crayton
Rev. Andy Cloer
Rev. Judson Hall
Mr. Howard Moore
Mr. Dean Lamb

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Rev. Alton Dendy, Chairman
Rev. Bill Shields
Rev. Jim Crayton

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Mr. Victor Teague
Rev. Wiley Gibson
Mr. Zeb Cabe
Rev. Earl Dendy
Mr. Steve Stiles
Rev. Alton Dendy
Rev. Gerald Bearden

COMMITTEE ON DENOMINATIONAL AGENCIES:

Children's Homes	Mr. Roy Rickman
Baptist Hospital	Mr. Bruce Bryant
Home for Aging	Mr. Harris Elmore
Christian Education	Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Biblical Recorder	Mrs. Jo Ann Elmore
Cooperative Program	Rev. Roy Lowe
Foreign Missions	Miss Barbara Roper
Home Missions	Mrs. Connie Campbell
State Missions	Mrs. Paul Ammons
Ministers Retirement	Rev. Wiley Gibson

COMMITTEE ON PASTORLESS CHURCHES:
Missions Committee

CALENDAR OF ACTIVIEIES:
Moderator, Vice Moderator, Sunday School Director, Church Training Director, Field Worker, WMU Director, Brotherhood Director.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINATION:
Rev. Bill Shields, Rev. Earl Dendy, Mr. Marshall Fouts, Mr. Cliff Cook, Rev. Weymond Lunsford.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE:
Mrs. Cliff Cook, Mrs. Howard Moore

MUSIC COMMITTEE:
Mr. John Johnson

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE:
Rev. Claude Ledford, Mrs. Hylda Shepherd, Rev. Alton Dendy

TRUSTEES:
Mr. Charles R. Southard, Mr. H. H. Plemmons, Mr. Bill Bryant

PROGRAM AND PLACE COMMITTEE:
Moderator, Vice Moderator, Field Worker, Two Laymen

TRUETT CAMP COMMITTEE:
Rev. Claude Ledford, Mr. Howard Moore

MESSENGERS TO 1975 SESSION

AQUONE — Ralph Postell, Dallas Rowland, Doyce Waters
BLACK MOUNTAIN — Johnny Raby, John Murphy, Bryson Hodgins, Dover Shope
BRIARTOWN — Walter Shields. Gene Trammell. Darrell Edwards
BUCK CREEK — Glenn Holland, JoAn Ammons, Dorothy Miller, Grace Houston
BURNINGTOWN — Mrs. Margaret Queen, Mrs. Lucy Catway, Mrs. Ruth Simonds, Earl Dendy
CALVARY — Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peak, Claude Ledford
CARTOOGECHAYE — Halen Roane, Tim Southard, Genevieve Arrant, Katherine Davis
CLEAR CREEK — Naomi Chastain, Ella Mae Wilson, Linda Vinson
COWEE — John Johnson, Mrs. Clarence Mason, Charles Cabe, Jess Cunningham, Roy Ramsey
COWEETA — Ed Karvonen, Lois Karvonen, Blance Bateman
ELLIJAY — Lucille Young, Ruby Young, Octie Shook
FRANKLIN EAST — None
FLATS — None
FRANKLIN FIRST — Mrs. Ben Stewart, Mae McCoy, Gladys Kinsland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powell, Norman Gilbert, Dr. David Henson
FRANKLIN WEST — Doug McDowell, Diane McDowell, Fred Bryson, Stella Bryson
GOLD MINE — Johnny Rogers, Ray McCall, J. B. Keener, Clifford Dendy
HIGDONVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corbin
HIGHLANDS — J. L. Hicks, Zeb Cabe
HOLLY SPRINGS — Mrs. Ina Belle Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson
IOTLA —
LIBERTY — Earl Simmons, Dennis Hooper, Lois Hooper, Dennis Freeman
LONGVIEW — Henry B. Cabe, Mrs. Douglas Perry
MASHBURN BRANCH — Mack Reed, Howard Mincey
MOUNT HOPE — Gloria Ridley, Babs Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dalrymple, Virginia Nichols, Bob Parker
NEWMANS CHAPEL — Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lamb, Weaver Fox, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, Waymon Lunsford
OAK DALE — None
OAK GROVE — John Clark, Frank Browning, Vernon Phillips
PINE GROVE — Steve Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Owens
PLEASANT HILL — Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Phillips
PRENTISS — Harry Brabson, Ann Brabson, Nell Sanders, J. B. McConnell, Edith McConnell, Claude Kimsey, Bertha Kimsey
RIDGECREST — Mrs. Evelyn Snyder, Jim Thompson, Mrs. Vernon Higdon, Mrs. Minnie Berry
ROSE CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. Furman Welch, Mr. and Mrs. George Southard, Bulon McCall
SHORTOFF — Roy Lowe, Marlin Crowe, Jimmy Lowe, Harold Neely
SUGARFORK — Jim Crayton, Harold Crisp, Walter Fox, Ernest Dendy
TELLICO — Judson Smith, Clint Cole, Maude Smith, Elease Slagle, Dorothy Ashe
TESENTA — Paul Anderson, Mrs. Alice Hastings, John Brown
UNION HILL — None
WALNUT CREEK — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hedden, Barbara Mashburn, Sharon Hedden
WATAUGA — Don Clouse, Wallace Tallant t
WELLS GROVE — Lawrence Long, Mrs. Annie Long, Mrs. Frank Hunnicutt
WEST UNION — Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stamey, Pearly Kirkland
WHITE OAK FLATS — None
WINDY GAP — Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Younce, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Pallie Ledford, Donna Duvall

EXECUTIVE PROMOTION COMMITTEE

Aquone ..... Rev. Ralph Postel
Bethel Hill ..... Rev. Ralph Postell
Black Mountain ..... Rev. Johnny Raby
Briartown ..... Rev. Kenneth Jenkins
Buck Creek ..... Rev. Paul Jones, Jr.
Burningtown ..... Rev. Earl Dendy, Bill Queen
Calvary ..... Rev. Claude Ledford, Elmos Henson
Clear Creek ..... Rev. Leonard Talley, Ken Chastain
Cowee ..... Rev. Jess Cunningham, Gardner Holden
Coweeta ..... Rev. Robert Crawford
Ellijay ..... Rev. Walter Clark
Flats ..... Rev. Turner Ramey
Franklin First ..... Rev. Gerald J. Bearden, Dr. David Henson, Fred Foster
Franklin East ..... Rev. Harry Garner
Franklin West ..... Rev. Andrew D. Cloer, Fred A. Moore
Goldmine ..... Rev. Terry Moffitt, Larry Dendy
Higdonville ..... Rev. Gene Hawkins, Fred Corbin
Highlands ..... J. L. Hicks, Zeb Cabe
Holly Springs ..... Rev. Judson Hall, Mrs. Jo Ann Corbin
Iotla ..... Rev. M. I. Brock
Liberty ..... Rev. Dennis Hooper, Lloyd Allen
Longview ..... Rev. James W. Gibson, Don Ledford
Mashburn Branch ..... Rev. Mack Reed
Mount Hope ..... Rev. Eugene Ridley, J. B. Lenoir
Newmans Chapel ..... Rev. Waymon Lunsford, Weaver Fox
Oak Dale ..... Don Ledford
Oak Grove ..... Rev. Ernie Sanders
Pine Grove ..... Rev. Ricky Harrell
Pleasant Hill ..... Rev. Alton Dendy, William McClure
Prentiss ..... Rev. Jerry L. Davidson
Ridgecrest ..... Rev. Guy Duvall, Charles Pickens, Zeb Mdhaffey
Rose Creek ..... Rev. Fred R. Cook
Shortoff ..... Rev. Roy F. Lowe, Gordon Talley, Ed Talley, Alvin Crowe
Sugarfork ..... Rev. James Crayton, Miss Marie Jennings
Tellico ..... Rev. Fred Cook
Union Hill ..... Rev. Raymond Wilson
Walnut Creek ..... Rev. Walter Clark, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hedden
Watauga ..... Rev. Wallace Tallent, Verlon Curtis
Wells Grove ..... Rev. Jud Duvall, Bennie Browning
West Union ..... Rev. Paul Morgan
Windy Gap ..... Rev. Grady Norman, Edgar Younce, Theodore Tallent

CONSTITUTION

As Amended from Time to Time

ARTICLE I — Name

This Association shall be known as the Macon Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II — Object

The object of this Association shall be:

1. To cultivate a friendly union among the churches for their mutual benefit.
2. To cooperate with the Baptist State Convention and Southern Baptist Convention in the promotion of the causes of Associational Missions, State Missions, Home Missions, Foreign Missions, and such other objects as these conventions may foster.

ARTICLE III — Membership

Section 1. This Association shall be composed of regularly constituted Baptist Churches in Macon County who shall be represented at its regular or special meetings by duly elected messengers.

Section 2. This Association shall have the right to determine what churches shall be admitted to its union, and to withdraw fellowship from any, for not complying with its rules or with the Articles of its Constitution and By-Laws, or for violating orthodox principles as set forth and believed by Southern Baptists.

Section 3. Any church desiring membership in the Association will present its request at any regular annual meeting. The request will be referred to a Credential Committee appointed by the Association, which committee, will examine the church's articles of faith, covenant, form of organization and such other matters as deemed necessary. Upon favorable report of the committee at the next annual meeting of the Association, the church may be received into fellowship by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present.

Section 4. It shall be a duty of each church to furnish the Association each year a letter, on a form provided by the clerk, giving full information and statistics provided for on the form; and to send with the letter or by a messenger a contribution toward the cost of printing the minutes of the Association. This letter and accompanying money to cover cost of minutes requested shall be in the clerk's hands thrity (30) days prior to annual meeting.

ARTICLE IV — Meetings

Section 1. The Association shall meet annually on Thursday evening and Friday following the second Sunday in August. The Associational year shall begin July 1, and end June 30.

Section 2. The business of the Association shall be transacted by the pastors of the several churches, and two messengers from each church, together with one additional messenger for every fifty members or fraction thereof above the first fifty, with no church having more than fifteen messengers.

Section 3. This Association shall be governed in its meetings by such rules as may be adopted, amended or set aside by a majority vote of the messengers present. "Roberts' Rules of Order" will be the guide in all parliamentary matters.

ARTICLE V — Officers and Committees

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, and three trustees.

Section 2. The standing Committees of this Association shall be the Executive Committee, the Missions Committee, the Nominating Committee, Credential and Ordination Committee, Evangelism Committee, Program and Place Committee, and such other committees as the body may direct. The Moderator and Associational Missionary shall be Ex-Officio members of all standing Committees.

ARTICLE VI — Associational Missionary

Section 1. The Association shall employ an Associational Missionary whose duties are described as follows:

(a) Work with and under the general supervision of the Missions Committee of the Association in maintaining and directing the Associational Program of Missions.

(b) Give guidance, counsel, and assistance whenever possible, and/or as needed to associational officers, organizations, and committees.

(c) Share and distribute information concerning plans and activities of the N. C. Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention as then relate to the work and program of the churches.

(d) Make himself available to each church and pastor, as his schedule permits, for any service he might render, such as preaching, teaching and counseling.

(e) Administer or execute any other activities that the Association shall direct.

Section 2. The Associational Missionary shall be called for an indefinite term to serve until the relationship is disolved at the request of either the Missionary or the Association. In either case, at least sixty days notice shall be given of termination of the relationship, unless otherwise mutually agreed, with both the Missionary and the Association seeking to follow the will of God and the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Section 3. The missionary shall be provided with such salary and expenses as the Missions Committee shall recommend with the approval of the Association.

ARTICLE VII — Amendments

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any regular annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present, provided the proposed amendment shall have been presented in written form on the first day of the annual meeting. The vote on any proposed amendment so presented may be deferred until the second day if requested by a majority vote of the messengers present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I — Election of Officers

All general officers of this Association shall be elected at each annual meeting upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee. The terms of office to begin at the conclusion of the annual meeting and to continue until the close of the next annual meeting. Any vacancies occurring in the interim shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE II — Duties of Officers

Section 1. THE MODERATOR: The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association and discharge such duties as are incumbent on the presiding officers of a deliberative body and shall also serve as chairman of the Executive Committee. He shall serve not more than two years consecutively. He shall appoint during the first session committees to report at the Annual Associational Meeting. These committees are: Resolutions and any other committees.

Section 2. THE VICE-MODERATOR: The Vice-Moderator shall perform the duties of the Moderator in the absence of or at the request of the Moderator.

Section 3. THE CLERK: The Clerk shall record and preserve the proceedings of the Association and have the same printed and distributed subjedt to the approval of the Moderator and Treasurer.

Section 4. THE TREASURER: The Treasurer shall preserve all monies paid into the body and pay the same upon the instruction of the Association, or Missions Committee. He shall make a quarterly report to the Executive Committee and an annual report to the Association.

Section 5. THE HISTORIAN: The Historian shall record and keep a record of such items as would be of interest to a future historian, in a book kept for that purpose. He shall keep a file of the Associational minutes.

Section 6. THE TRUSTEES: The Trustees shall be three in number and shall hold title to all properties owned by the Association. No conveyance or deed-of-trust shall be executed affecting the title of said property except upon the instructions of the annual meeting of the Association or the Executive Committee. The Trustees shall serve terms of three years with one-third elected each year.

ARTICLE III — The Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Association, the pastors of the churches of the Association, and one lay member from each church.

Section 2. The lay members shall be elected by the Church and reported to the Association on the Annual Associational Letter. The officers of the Assocuation, heads of Associational Organizations and pastors are automatically on the committee by virtue of the places of leadership they hold in the Association.

Section 3. Duties of the Executive Committee:

(a) To meet quarterly and upon call of the chairman.

(b) To act for and on behalf of the Association between sessions.

(c) To fill vacancies which may occur during the year in the personnel of the Associational Officers or workers for the remainder of such unexpired terms.

(d) To make such recommendations as it may deem wise for the strengthening and upbuilding of the churches and the work of the Association.

ARTICLE IV — The Missions Committee

Section 1. The Missions Committee shall be composed of four pastors and three laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The pastors shall be elected for a term of two years with one-half the number being elected each year. The laymen shall be elected for a term of three years with one-third of the number being elected each year. The committee shall elect its chairman and secretary each year.

Section 2. Duties of the Missions Committee: To lead in our Associational Missions Program through:

(a) General supervision and guidance of the Associational Mission Program.

(b) Seeking out an Associational Missionary, making nominations in event of vacancy.

(c) Planning a Program of Activities with the Associational Missionary.

(d) The Recommendation of an Associational Budget to the Executive Committee meeting just prior to the annual meeting of the Association.

(e) The supervision of the expenditure of the budget.

(f) The enlistment of the churches in the active financial support of the Associational Mission program.

ARTICLE V — The Credential and Ordination Committee

Section 1. The Credential and Ordination Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Credential and Ordination Committee:

(a) Examine applications churches seeking admission into Association.

(b) Make necessary recommendations to the Association.

(c) Encourage all churches to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in ordaining men to the Gospel Ministry.

(d) Upon the invitation of the church conducting the ordination, represent the Association on the examining council.

ARTICLE VI — The Nominating Committee

Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three pastors and two laymen to be appointed by the Moderator during the first session of each annual Associational Meeting. The first named shall be chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Nominating Committee:

(a) To nominate the general officers of the Association.

(b) To nominate the Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

(c) To nominate the Associational Training Union Director.

(d) To nominate the Orphanage, Hospital, Biblical Recorder, and Baptist Home for the aging representatives.

(e) To nominate Associational Brotherhood president.

(f) To nominate Associational Music Director.

(g) To nominate the standing committees that are to function during the year between the sessions of the Association.

(h) To fill vacancies occuring in any of the standing committees during the year.

Section 3. All other officers are to be recommended by the heads of the organizations and departments to the Nominating Committee.

ARTICLE VII — Committee on Evangelism

Section 1. The Committee on Evangelism shall be composed of three members nominated by the Nominating Committee. The first named shall be the chairman.

Section 2. Duties of the Committee on Evangelism:

(a) Study and keep the Association and trend of Baptism within the Association.

(b) Plan and promote such meetings as will keep the cause of Evangelism before the Association.

ARTICLE VIII — Program and Place Committee

Section 1. This committee shall be composed of the Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Associational Missionary and two laymen.

Section 2. Duties:

(a) This committee shall plan the program of the annual meeting as to time, place, and preacher and all necessary events.

(b) This program shall be presented to the Executive Committee at its last regular meeting before the Association.

ARTICLE IX — Reports

All reports to the Annual Associational Meeting are to be in the Associational Missionary's office thirty (30) days prior to the Associational Meeting.

PROGRAM

SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION OF THE MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

THEME: "LET CHRIST'S FREEDOM RING"

NIGHT SESSION WITH AQUONE BAPTIST CHURCH

AUGUST 14, 1975 — 7:30 P.M.

7:30 Call to Worship ..... Moderator
Hymn No. 97 "Jesus Saves" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Scripture, Prayer and Welcome ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Recognition of Pastors and Visitors ..... Moderator
Enrollment and Statistical Report ..... Mrs. Mary Justice
Treasurer's Report ..... Mrs. Elizabeth Mason
Woman's Missionary Union Report ..... Mrs. Mamie Raby
Associational Missions ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Hymn No. 271 "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Annual Sermon ..... Rev. Andrew Cloer
Biblical Recorder ..... J. Marse Grant, Editor B-R
Home for Aging ..... John Roper
Speaker
Miscellaneous Business
Baptist Hospital ..... Bruce Bryant
Speaker ..... Rev. Calvin Knight

"Let Christ's Freedom Ring" through Missions
Home Missions ..... Mrs. Connie Campbell
Foreign Missions ..... Miss Barbara Roper
State Missions ..... Mrs. Paul Ammons
Cooperative Program .....
Speaker ..... Mr. L. J. Morris
Benediction ..... Rev. Roy Lowe

SECOND DAY SESSION WITH HOLLY SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
Evening Session August 15, 1975 — 4:00 P.M.

4:00 THEME: "LET CHRIST'S FREEDOM RING"
Piano Meditation

Hymn No. 125 "I Stand Amazed" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Scripture, Prayer and Welcome ..... Rev. Judson Hall
Place and Preacher Committee ..... Vice Moderator-Rev. Gene Hawkins
Baptist Foundation Report ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Evangelism Report ..... Rev. J. S. Cunningham

Children's Home ..... Mr. Clyde Morris
Baptist College ..... Mr. Mark Gray
Hymn No. 290 "He Keeps Me Singing" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Fellowship and evening meal
Grace for evening meal ..... Rev. Wiley Gibson

NIGHT SESSION
AUGUST 15, 1975 — 7:00 P.M.

7:00 Organ Meditation
Hymn No. 295 "There's a Glad New Song" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Prayer ..... Rev. Earl Dendy
Special Music ..... Holly Springs Choir
Report of Nominating Committee
Report of Truett Camp ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Report of Annuity Board ..... Rev. Cecil Frady
Christian Education Relort ..... Mrs. Josephine Cabe
Fruitland ..... Rev. Bill Shields
Training Union ..... Mr. John Rogers
Historian ..... Miss May McCoy
Honoring the Deceased ..... Rev. M. I. Brock
Hymn No. 123 "Praise Him! Praise Him!" ..... Mr. John Johnson
Doctrinal Message ..... Rev. Eugene Ridley
Installation of Officers for 1975-76 ..... Rev. Judson Hall
Benediction ..... Rev. Gerald Bearden

PROCEEDINGS

of the

SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION

of the

MACON BAPTIST ASSON

THEME: "Let Christ's Freedom Ring"

The Macon Baptist Association met in its seventy-second session with the Aquone Baptist Church on Thursday evening, August 14, 1975. Mrs. Elizabeth Mason played a five-minute prelude at the piano while the evening session was gathering.

THURSDAY EVENING — AUGUST 14, 1975

1. The Association was called to order by Moderator Rev. Judson Duvall, at 7:30 P.M.
2. Mr. John Johnson, Associational Music Director, led in singing "Jesus Saves," with Mrs. Elizabeth Mason at the piano.
3. Rev. Cecil Frady, Macon County Baptist Associational Missionary, welcomed the Seventy-second session to the Aquone Baptist Church. Rev. Frady read Psalms 27, and led in prayer.
4. Pastors and visitors were recognized at this time and a warm welcome extended to them by the Moderator. The count was 11 pastors and 3 visitors. Also the state representatives were welcomed to the Association.
5. The report on enrollment and statistics was submitted by Mrs. Mary Justice, clerk. The clerk received 43 letters representing 142 messengers. A roll of the churches was called with those elected by their churches as messengers standing to constitute the governing body of the Associational meeting. The clerk moved the adoption of the statistical summary to be accepted as information. Also moved was acceptance of the attending messengers and other duly appointed messengers who might arrive later to constitute the seventy-second annual session of the Macon Baptist Association. The motion passed and the report was adopted.
6. WMU Report prepared by Mrs. Mamie Raby.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT TO MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

In Woman's Missionary Union, we have had a wonderful year. God has blessed us in many ways.

We have twelve active WMU's in the Association, with three churches having all levels. All our offices are filled. Our Theme this year has been "Love Thy Neighbor," which we have tried to practice more and have found very rewarding. We have emphasized to always use our time wisely.

In December we studied for Foreign Missions "How in this World" by Leland Welk.

Our Home Mission book was taught association wide at First Baptist Church, during Focus Week in February.

During March Week of Prayer, our Baptist Young Women did the Radio Week of devotion, using out Theme "Love Thy Neighbor" it was very uplifting and we are grateful and proud of our young women.

Our annual meeting was held April 1st, at Cowee Baptist Church. Miss Olive Lawton of Ridgecrest, retired missionary from China was our guest speaker. Miss Lawton is very dedicated and I know each of us received a

blessing from the meeting. We also used ladies from other denominations to give us a panel discussion on how they felt we could "Love Our Neighbor" more. It was a wonderful meeting and our thanks to the Cowee Church for hostessing the meeting.

Also in April Mrs. Kathy Parker, G. A. Leader had a field trip for all G. S.'s the State worker Miss Pat Ritchie was with them. The G.A.'s really enjoyed their day.

The G.A.'s also had a promotion day at First Baptist Church, in which all interested associational G.A.'s took part. They presented plays, songs and other things pertaining the G.A.'s. It was rewarding the girls were so good.

In May, the Baptist Young Women had a banquet "Love Thy Neighbor" being used as their theme. The State worker Nancy Curtis was guest speaker. The banquet was a success.

A prayer retreat was held in three sessions at First Baptist Church July 25-26. Mrs. Elaine Bradley, W.M.U. Director of First Church, Franklin, N. C. directed the retreat. Our guest leader was Miss Bertie Lee Kendrick retired missionary from Hawaii. The theme of the retreat was, "Teach Me to Pray Lord." This was truly a spiritual up-lift to the ladies of W.M.U.

The W.M.U. had a booth at the County Fair still using out theme "Love Thy Neighbor." We received a blue ribbon, but we received more joy and blessings doing the booth.

We have had delegates to State Convention, Ridgecrest and Fruitland. It has been a good year and we give thanks to God who has allowed us to do these things. We are looking forward to a better year this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Mamie Raby, WMU Director

7. Mrs. Elizabeth Mason prepared the Treasurers Report and report was adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT
Fiscal Year — July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975

Amount Brought Forward From Previous Year $3,321.29

Contributions	Assoc. Missions	Home	Minutes	Offset Press	Honduras	Other
Aquone	$	$	$ 5.00	$	$ 25.00	$
Bethel			5.00		16.79	
Black Mountain	80.00	45.00	8.00		16.90	
Briartown	50.00		12.00		60.00	
Burningtown	192.00		8.00	100.00	55.35	
Calvary	30.00	25.00	10.00			
Cartoogechaye	300.00				50.00	
Clear Creek	172.39			70.00	10.00	60.45
Cowee	728.00	214.00	20.00	102.00	76.00	V.B.S.
Coweeta	100.00			3.25	22.50	7.76
East Franklin		52.00				S. S. Mat.
Ellijay	10.00	25.00				
Flats					10.00	
Franklin First	1,699.80	600.00	10.00	4.00		
Goldmine	60.00		12.00		10.00	20.00
Higdonville	300.00	200.00		100.00	20.00	Chaplain.
Highlands	390.00	390.00	8.00		25.00	
Holly Springs	363.96	110.00	6.00		50.00	35.00
Iotla	450.00		10.00	150.00		Chaplain.
Liberty	165.00	100.00	20.00			
Longview	830.00		25.00		50.00	
Mashburn Branch	100.00		12.00		10.00	
Mount Hope	336.00	227.52	11.00	328.00		
Newman's Chapel	130.00	405.92	20.00	100.00	54.40	80.00
Oak Dale			2.00			C. Prog.
Oak Grove	130.00		6.00	52.50		3.20
Pine Grove		120.00	8.00			C. Cards
Pleasant Hill		50.00			10.00	41.22

Prentiss	58.54	45.00	12.00			T. U. Mat.
Ridgecrest	192.00	211.68	25.00		25.00	
Shortoff	167.16		10.00			
Sugarfork	165.00		12.00			
Tellico			8.00			
Walnut Creek	30.00	50.00				
Watauga	250.00	300.00	25.00		25.00	
Wells Grove	90.00		15.00	150.00	51.00	
West Franklin	150.00		8.00	100.00		
West Union			4.00		10.00	
Baptist State Conv.	1,562.00					
Cowee Bible Study Group				10.75		
Franklin First "Day Current Circle"				34.00		
Macon Assn. Meeting Off.				173.93		
State of N. C. (Sales Tax Fefund)	89.32					
Ethel Breedlove				5.00		
Bill Bryant				12.00		
Paul Carpenter	20.00			20.00		
Donald Clay				10.00		
Cecil M. Frady (Long Distance Calls	327.20					8.33
Mary Frady				10.00		Books
Mary Justice				100.00		
Doris Ledbetter				5.00		
Claude Ledford		20.00		18.00		
Lee Ledford				20.00		
May McCoy						150.00
May Beryl Moody				100.00		Prayer
Owen's Realty				8.00		Retreat
Mrs. Neal Parker						2.00
H. H. Plemmons				25.00		Paper
D. A. Rhodes	10.00					
Hyldah Shepherd		600.00		10.00		
Total Contributions for Year	$9,708.37	$3,791.12	$337.00	$1,821.43	$682.94	$407.96

DISBURSEMENTS

Rev. Cecil M. Frady (Salary & Travel)	$ 7,000.00
Rev. Cecil M. Frady (Convention Expense)	75.00
Rev. Cecil M. Frady (Honduras Expense)	465.00
Rev. Cecil M. Frady (Postage Refund)	9.84
Rev. Charles Dean ("M" Night Speaker)	50.00
Bertha Smith (Prayer Retreat)	150.00
Missionary Leslie Keyes (Work in Honduras)	72.50
Mrs. Mary Justice (Clerk Salary July 1, 1973-June 30, 1974)	100.00
Mrs. Elizabeth Mason (Treasurer Salary October, 1973-June, 1975)	75.00
First Union National Bank (Interest $1,098.33 Principal $3,600.00)	4,698.33
Annuity Board of S. B. C. (Rev. Cecil M. Frady)	600.00
Nantahala Power & Light Company (Electricity)	596.75
Town of Franklin (Water & Sewer)	65.43
Western Carolina Telephone Company (Local Service & Tax $261.54 Long Distance Calls $327.20)	588.74
Zeb Meadows, Postmaster (Mailing Permit $80.00; Box Rent $5.80; Stamps $30.00)	115.80
Franklin Insurance Agency (Assn. Home Insurance to 8-4-75)	145.00
Gray & Creech, Inc, (A. B. Dick Offset Press and Platemaker)	2,696.73
Gray & Creech, Inc. (Offset Press Supplies $363.52; 100 Reams Paper $217.86)	581.38
Atwood Printing Company (Negatives for Offset Press)	25.85
Franklin Power Saw Service (Lawn Mower Parts)	26.14
Baptist Sunday School Board (Books, V.B.S. Materials & Supplies)	60.46
N. C. Baptist State Convention (Cooperative Program—Clear Creek V.B.S. $60.45; Newman's Chapel $80.00)	140.45
Missouri Baptist Press (Printing 400 Minutes)	309.68
Henry Office Supplies (Carbon Ribbons)	2.08
Food Palace (Fertilizer)	48.00
Frizzell Farm Supply (Fertilizer & Seeds)	43.89
Macon Ministerial Association (Chaplaincy Fund for Goldmine)	20.00
Joe McDowell (Four loads of dirt; use of tractor)	47.00
Total Disbursements for Year	$18,809.05
Balance on hand July 1, 1974	$ 3,321.29
Total Contributions for Fiscal Year 1974-75	16,748.82
Total on hand for Fiscal Year 1974-75	20,070.11
Total disbursements for year	18,809.05
Balance on hand June 30, 1975	$ 1,261.06

Respectfully submitted, Elizabeth F. Mason, Treasurer

8. Rev. Earl Dendy reported on proposed budget.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR MACON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR THE YEAR 1975-76

GENERAL EXPENDITURES:	
Water, Lights and Heat	$ 1,000.00
Travel Expenses For Field Worker	2,500.00
Convention Expenses (Field Worker)	300.00
Annuity Board (Field Worker's Retirement)	600.00
Office Phone	300.00
Printing of Minutes for Churches	100.00
Postage and Office Supplies	425.00
Maintenance	350.00
Total General Expenses	5,575.00
SALARIES:	
Field Worker	$ 6,000.00
Treasurer	100.00
Clerk	100.00
Total Salaries	6,200.00
PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES:	
Sunday School	$ 75.00
Training Union	100.00
Woman's Missionary Union	125.00
Vacation Bible School	75.00
Total Promotional	375.00
Grand Total	$12,150.00
Convention Supplement	$ 1,425.00
Church's Part	$10,725.00

Missions Committee: Earl Dendy—Chairman, Wiley Gibson, Weaver Fox, Zeb Cabe, Alton Dendy, Victor Teague, Jerry Davison

9. Rev. Cecil Frady spoke to Associational Missions.

ASSOCIATION MISSIONARY REPORT

Since last Association Meeting, I have mailed 2,820 bulletins, spoke 155 times in our churches, 10 times on morning devotions, traveled approximately 22,000 miles, had 2 Baptismal Services, performed a number of weddings, helped in ordination of 2 preachers, four deacons, conducted a number of funerals, helped in getting two New Training Unions, attended State Baptist Convention, Superintendent of Missions, Training Union Meetings, Sunday School meetings, pastors conference, Ministerial Conference, "M" Night, Executive Meetings, Pastor-Deacon Workshop, Seminar Nashville, Tennessee on Association work, a two-week mission trip to Honduras and 8 Bible Studies and many other conferences concerning our Lord's work.

I would like to express my appreciation for all the gifts and acts of kindness from each church and individuals throughout our Association during the sickness of my wife. I thank God for each one and for the cooperation of the churches and pray that there will be a closer net of co-operation in the coming year 1975-1976.

Respectfully submitted, Cecil Frady, Associational Missionary

10. The Baptist Home for the Aging was prepared by John Roper and received as information. Mr. Kenneth Mullins spoke on WNC BAPTIST Home to be built on the Pearson Estate in Asheville, N. C.

N. C. BAPTIST HOMES FOR THE AGING

There has never been a year in the history of your Baptist Homes when more people have sought the services of the Homes. This has been true particularly of the aging sick person. Almost daily calls come from older persons, and their families, inquiring about admission to one of your five resident Homes and the Skilled Nursing Care Facility of the Homes.

Today there are some 21,000,000 Americans 65 and above, and this number, it is anticipated, will grown by over 300,000 a year in the years ahead. The needs of aging people are overwhelming, and we must strive diligently to meet those needs.

Although we can minister in our North Carolina Baptist Homes to only 230 persons at any given time, we have served hundreds of aging people through the twenty-four years that we have been on the scene at Resthaven, the Hayes Home, and the Nursing Care Unit, in Winston-Salem, and in our Homes at Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. As God continues to bless us and lead us, we will make every effort to expand our ministry and to reach out and help as many older persons as possible in the years ahead. We can do this only by the grace of the Lord and by the increased concern and giving of our Baptist people.

Gifts for 1974-75 from our Baptist Churches, through the Cooperative Program and through the 3rd Sunday of February Offering for the Homes, reflect a very encouraging increase. This is great, and we are grateful especially since four out of every five persons who live in our Homes depend upon these love gifts for their care! Your love gift is a life-line to these deserving older persons, and they could not be cared for in the majority of cases, if it were not for you.

Signs on the horizon indicate that we will need greater financial support for our Homes for the Aging from our Baptist people than ever before.

The most exciting development in the family of your Baptist Homes for the past year has been the experience of obtaining one of the most beautiful locations in the Blue Ridge mountains of North Carolina for the proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. This site is a twenty-one acre tract of land overlooking the city of Asheville, better known as the Pearson Estate, on Richmond Hill, in Northwest Asheville. God Himself, we feel, has guided us in discovering this beautiful site.

Plans are in the making now to raise $1,000,000 for the construction of this new proposed Western North Carolina Baptist Home. These plans initially will include 50 rooms for residents, with living room, dining room, library, chapel and activities room, and other necessary rooms. With the completion of this Home, North Carolina Baptists will be enlarging their base of ministry to almost 300 persons, and older people from Western North Carolina will have a facility to serve the hundreds in their area who will need the service of this lovely facility now and in the years to come.

Pray for the ministry of your Baptist Homes for the Aging. Give as liberally as possible that the overwhelming needs of older people in our midst might be met more adequately. Visit the Homes and see first-hand the personal joy that your gifts bring. Know that your ministry to even one of these dear older people is a ministry as unto Christ Himself.

John Roper

11. Mr. John Johnson, led the group in singing "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story".

12. Annual Sermon — Rev. Andrew Cloer. He read as his scripture, Acts 27:25.

13. Biblical Recorder report by Mrs. Ed Brogden-Marse Grant, Editor of B-R.

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Baptist state papers claimed more attention that usual at the 1975 meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Miami Beach this year. In the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Cooperative Program, it was revealed that they had played a tremendous part in the growth of our denomination. Louie D. Newton, denominational staterman and former editor of Georgia's **Christian Index,** introduced all the 33 editors of state papers and made a comparison of circulation of each in 1975 with that of 1925 when the Cooperative Program was born. Many were not in existence at that time, however, but this in itself reveals something of Southern Baptist growth.

In giving a special committee report on state papers, H. Franklin Paschall, pastor of First Church, Nashville, Tenn., reported that present circulation is 1¾ million and recommended that the convention reaffirm its goal of getting a state paper into two million Baptist homes by 1980. The committee recommended a vigorous campaign in all states to help accomplish this, and also recommended that state papers be incorporated in all local church budgets.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is one of those 33 state papers, and one of the oldest, and we hope, one of the best. In spite of continued problems for religious publications because of inflation, and skyrocketting postage costs, the circulation of the RECORDER remains above 112,000. Congregations including it in their budgets for all their familiet are the ones which have an informed membership. It is our hope that North Carolina Churches will take seriously the recommendation reaffirmed at the Southern Baptist Convention that state papers be incorporated in local church budgets for all their member families. Already more than 1,000 churches in North Carolina are doing this, and more congregations do so each year. Pastors and deacons should initiate such action, and it should be supported by all the organizations in the church.

The BIBLICAL RECORDER has covered many sensitive issues this past year. Words of appreciation have come from Baptist people all across the state, for they are aware than "an informed people is the bulwark of Baptist democracy."

The RECORDER continues to operate on a limited budget, and with an altogether too small staff. Local churches can help us by understanding these limitations, and by renewing their subscription plans promptly.

Ray K. Hodge, pastor of First Church, Kinston, says: "One of the easiest tasks I have had as a pastor is to lead churches to include and keep the denominational paper in the church budget. It is such a bargain that trying to save a few dollars (by not subscribing to it for our families) is too costly. It would be like saving the expense of regular visits to the dentist, only to pay more in various ways later."

His advice is well taken.

Respectfully submitted, J. Marse Grant, Editor BIBLICAL RECORDER

14. Baptist Hospital report submitted by Bruce Bryant. Rev. Calvin Knight from Baptist Hospital spoke to this report.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

There have been many significant developments, in several different areas at your Baptist Hospital during the past year.

By the time this report is read the new ambulatory care unit will be open, making possible enlarged and improved services for the Emergency Room, Out-patient Clinics, Physical Therapy and other departments. Renovation of the West Wing will be complete and renovation on the South Wing will begin in early August. The third floor of the Progressive Care Unit has been remodeled to provide 26 beds, therapy room and other improved facilities for Psychiatric services.

The long-awaited EMI-scanner is now in use and is already proving beneficial in detecting blood clots, tumors, strokes and other abnormalities of the brain.

A Family Practice Center opened July 1, 1975 to offer more primary medical care for patients and also to provide specialized training for physicians who choose to enter Family Practice.

During the year the hospital had its biennial review by the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation. All areas of operation received an excellent report, but physician service, nursing service and administration all received especially high commendation.

Despite the continued rise in costs for services and materials the hospital has been able to operate in the black. The administration and department heads confer frequently and make diligent effort to see that the hospital operates as efficiently and economically as possible.

Gifts from the Baptist churches have been very gratifying. During the calendar year of 1974 the hospital received $258,898 through the Cooperative Program and $392,000 through the Mother's Day Offering. Hospital staff members have participated in Cooperative Program promotion in cooperation with the State Convention Division of Stewardship and Cooperative Program Promotion.

The Department of Pastoral Care has opened a counseling center in Raleigh, its second satellite center. Plans are developing for a third satellite in the western part of the state. The Department has established a scholarship fund as a memorial to Dr. Richard K. Young, the department's first director, who died December 31. Full re-accreditation was given the School of Pastoral Care in December by the Association of Clinical Pastoral Education.

During the past year Mr. Reid T. Holmes retired as President of the hospital, after serving in the hospital administration for 29 years.

Bruce Bryant

15. Rev. L. J. Morris, Communications Director Baptist State Convention spoke to all Missions reports. Rev. Morris showed a film.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

"Go tell your friend, your foe, your neighbor that Christ who died—died not for you alone. He died for all!" Jesus left no plan for telling the story of salvation other than His "go . . . tell." Your lost neighbor is your personal mission field. Then you are sharing The Word when you reach out in love, praying and giving of your means to support all phases of Home Missions.

Your gifts help to support 2,200 missionaries on the home mission field. Last year more than 1,000 young Christians served as student missionaries in locales ranging from Maine to Hawaii. 15,000 associational officers and

workers obtained the information and skills needed to carry on their work. Through the Christian Social Ministeries, Lauguage Missions, Church Extension, Interfaith Witness, Chaplaincy Ministeries, Evangelism, and Special Projects, the Home Mission ministeries are witnessing and sharing Christ's love.

Home missionaries confront people of many cultures, social standings, professions, and income brackets with the message of love, and a life of meaning in Jesus Christ.

"God's gift to us is the opportunity of service. How we serve is our gift to God."

Submitted by Connie H. Campbell

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD

The Foreign Mission Board exists for one purpose—to be the channel through which Southern Baptists cooperatively bear our witness for Christ in other lands. At the close of 1974 the Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2,606. These men and women are not the Board's missionaries—they are ministering overseas as Southern Baptists—as Christian men and women who have responded to God's call to serve Him in another land. They are sustained through the resources of their fellow Christians in Southern Baptist churches.

On January 1, 1975, Southern Baptist missionaries were assigned to 82 geographical or political entities.

Evangelism and church development are central to the objectives of missions. Churches overseas are stimulated by the Foreign Mission Board and its missionaries, but rather than being **extensions of,** they stand in fraternal relationship **with** the Southern Baptist Convention. Accomplishments are largely those of national churches, leaders, and conventions, with the assistance of missionary co-workers and resources from Southern Baptists.

Strong churches must have capable and well-trained leadership from among their people. Theological-study-by-extension, begun as a pilot project in East Africa, was reported to have expanded to ten other countries in 1974.

Adequate supplies of Christian literature continues to increase in improtance. Probably the most significant development in publishing work in 1974 was the working out of agreements with Baptist conventions in Nicaragua and El Salvador for placing missionaries in those countries to carry out literature ministries.

Significant developments in medical work in 1974 included: a new intensive care unit and prosthetics shop at the Baptist Hospital in Columbia; a new surgical ward and intensive care unit in Korea; addition of a pharmacy building and staff quarters to Ghana Hospital; remodeling and enlarging portions of Gaza Hospital.

Mobile clinics continue to be effective among rural and village people. Through day clinics held in local churches and staffed chiefly by national Christian medical personnel; much needed health care is provided and, often, doors are opened to a hearing for the gospel.

Increasing awareness of the growing world hunger problem and response to the hurricane in Honduras gave a new thrust to Southern Baptist relief efforts overseas. The Convention Executive Committee was asked to help inform Southern Baptists that the Foreign Mission Board serves as a channel for overseas relief ministries. Aspecial staff work group began developing a "disaster response plan."

Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds is made available annually for foreign missions. This is the basis upon which sustained advance can be built. Still needed urgently on

overseas fields are land, buildings, and equipment, amounting to several million dollars worth.

The above report was prepared from information received from the Foreign Mission Board.

Submitted by: Barbara Roper

16. Moved and seconded that all reports which had been given be adopted.

17. Motion to adjourn meeting until 4:00 P.M. August 15-Holly Springs Baptist Church.

18. Benediction by Rev. Roy Lowe.

Judson Duvall, Moderator - Mary Justice, Clerk

FRIDAY EVENING - AUGUST 15, 1975
HOLLY SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

4:00

Meditation music was presented by Mrs. Elizabeth Hall.

19. Holly Springs Baptist Church was host for the Friday session. Vice-Moderator, Rev. Gene Hawkins called this session to order at 4:00 P.M. Mr. John Johnson led the group in singing "I Stand Amazed".

20. Rev. Judson Hall pastor of the host church, extended a welcome to those attending the Friday Session. Rev. Hall read John 8:31 and Romans 6th Chapter and led in prayer. Mr. Johnson led the group in singing "The Lily of the Valley."

21. The Baptist Foundation Report, was received as information and was spoken to by Rev. Cecil Frady.

THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC. REPORT 1975

As revealed through a Sunday School lesson during the past year, a good foundation of discipline and training in Spiritual matters is necessary for a young life to develop in a way to withstand the pressures of life during periods of stress and strain. It is almost trite to refer to the need of a good base or foundation for any activity or project contemplated in this life. Not in anyway is there a difference for a need of the Foundation, as thought of in terms of the Baptist Foundation, when we consider the future potentialities and needs to sustain and expand mission efforts and services to bring mankind into the influence of the saving grace of God's Son, Jesus Christ.

Chartered in 1919 by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. has sought to assist individuals throughout the state in their estate planning, providing ways to support Baptist institutions and mission work on a permanent basis. Property and funds placed with the Baptist Foundation are invested by a convention elected board of directors with the income paid annually to the institution or mission cause designated by the donor.

Individual assistance is provided Baptists throughout the state in the establishment of trusts that not only benefit the donor but also support the Christian ministries of our denomination in a lasting, perpetual way.

During the past two years, $330,070.41 has been given to the N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc., in the way of annunity trusts. In this type trust, the donors reserve the right to the income from the investments for their lifetime and then the income will be paid to the Baptist cause specified in the original trust agreement. The laws of our land provide to the donor certain tax advantages for the gift portion of these transactions.

Wills still account for a major portion of the funds held in trust by the Foundation. One such gift to benefit mission work from this year forward, came in the form of a farm and other assets given by the deceased. It was

determined by the tax records found in this estate, that this person will give annually three times as much for missions through the income from this trust fund, as she was ever able to earn in total wages during any year of her lifetime. So what she could not do for our Lord's work here on earth in her lifetime, she does after her life here among us has ended.

New gifts to be held in trust by the N. C. Baptist amounted to $635,079.57 during 1974-75 fiscal year. Added to the market value of assets held from previous years brings the total value to $2,331,559.67 as of June 30, 1975. Income from all assets held by the Foundation which have been or will be distributed to designated beneficiaries in the near future amounted to $76,257.82 for the past 12 months.

For services offered by the Foundation to induviduals or churches, please contact Mr. Edwin S. Coates, Executive Secretary, N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc., P. O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N. C. 27611 (Tel. No. 919-833-1605). All inquiries and assistance are considered confidential and personal matters.

22. The Evangelism Report was received as information and was spoken to by Rev. J. S. Cunningham.

ANNUAL ASSOCIATIONAL EVANGELISM REPORT - 1975

All churches will receive Proclamation '76 Planning Calendar booklets for 1975-76 and other revival materials. Each association is encouraged to plan a Simultaneous Revival among the churches during the spring (March or April) of 1976. If you do not have a Simultaneous Revival, every Baptist church is urged to plan a dynamic revival effort in the spring of 1976.

The continuing response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools has been significant. In the past 3½ years, 12,774 youth and adults have shared in this lay witness training from 1,007 churches and 55 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine other associations have participated in Pastor's Retreats dealing with Lay Evangelism Schools. Five other associations have planned Lay Evangelism Schools during the fall of 1975.

"BE RECONCILED TO GOD AND MAN" was the theme of the 29th Statewide Evangelism Conference at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, February 3-15, 1975. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons heard excellent speakers emphasized various phases of evangelism.

Youth Ministries Week was held at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly during June 9-13 for 520 youth and adults with the emphasis on evangelism, vocational guidance, and recreation.

About 14,000 youth, pastors, and adult leaders will attend the 5th Statewide Youth Evangelism Night - August 15 - at the Greensboro Coliseum. Dr. Bill Self, Atlanta, Georgia, is the guest preacher, and Bill and Linda Cates are the guest musicians. Christian youth continue to share a strong witness for Jesus Christ across our state.

The Division of Evangelism is cooperating with the Brotherhood Department in Lay Renewal Weekends and Renewal Evangelism.

Let us rejoice in the leadership of the Holy Spirit in wonderful revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics during the past year.

The 30th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at the Civic Center Auditorium, Asheville, during February 2-4, 1976.

Remember to pray daily for the work of evangelism in all the chuches of our state, nation, and world.

Respectfully submitted, J. S. Cunningham

22-A. Mr. John W. Rogers spoke on Training Union.

CHURCH TRAINING

In our report for 1975 we are fortunate to add Shortoff Baptist Church as a member of our Church Training Program. We have visited churches already active in Training Union and most of them are very successful. We urge you to keep up the good work. The churches in our Association who do not have an active Training Program, we urge you to start one now as the young people of today are tomorrows leaders and how will they lead without training?

"M-Night" was held on October 28, 1974 at the First Baptist Church in Franklin, N. C. Theme for the evening was "Church, The Sunday Night Place Family Style." Guest speaker was Rev. Charles Dean of Sylva, N. C. Family testimony was given by the Clyde Drake Family. Twenty four churches were represented with 338 attending. Sixteen pastors and seventeen directors. Come on Pastors and Directors and lead your church by Supporting them on "M-Night". Mount Hope took the banner for best attendance. Pleasant Hill was given a banner for being the newest church in our Training Program. When attendance is counted please stand with the church of which you are a member (where your letter is) even if your are attending another church. The banner is given on the basis of highest attendance of church members.

Looking forward to a new year with new members added to the church Training Program.

Respectfully submitted, John W. Rogers, Training Union Director

23. The Children's Homes Report prepared by Roy Rickman was spoken to by Clyde Morris.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.
REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS
WESTERN AREA
1975

Christian child care provided by the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is a cooperative mission. It was through the life, teaching and ministry of Christ and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit that North Carolina Baptists launched their child care ministry 90 years ago. Today it is recognized as one of the outstanding ministries of its kind in the nation.

Without the cooperative support of our Baptist people, along with many other friends, the Homes could not have come into being. These relationships are vital to the future of the Homes and all who are served through them. The investments which we have made in the lives of hundreds of children are paying rich dividends. These are some of our finest citizens for whom you provided a Christian home and way of life.

The lives of more than 3,700 people were affected in a significant way through the services of the Homes during the past year. Daily care and related services were provided 1,524 children. Of this number, 1,061 were in continuing programs while 463 received casework, counseling, and referral services. While we were caring for the children, a close working relationship was maintained with 2,178 adults in an effort to reestablish homes and strengthen family relationships.

New and exciting developments are in progress in Western North Carolina. The beautiful Broyhill Home campus will have a fifth cottage for children constructed during the next year. The Thermal Belt Youth Shelter, at Forest City, was opened last spring and is meeting a vital need for children needing immediate help. Several young girls are receiving care through the Maternity Home in Asheville. Increasing numbers of families are opening hearts and homes for the care of foster children. All of these indicate a living, vital and growing ministry to people.

Hugh Starnes, administrator of our work in Western North Carolina and other members of the staff are anxious to have you and members of your church visit Broyhill Home. To see, observe and to feel in person what it is like to live in a children's home is to appreciate our child care ministry. Thank you for your dependable support in numerous ways. It shall be our purpose to keep this a dynamic ministry and to meet the needs of those for whom we accept responsibility.

W. R. Wagoner, President
Submitted by Roy Rickman

24. The Baptist Colleges Report prepared by Mrs. Josephine Cabe and spoken to by Mr. Mark Gray, student at Mars Hill College.

24-A Rev. Bill Shields gave an oral report on Baptist Fruitland Institute.

25. Following a hymn, Rev. Wiley Gibson asked grace for the evening meal.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

"I am somebody!" The sign was posted on the mirror in the foyer of the small mission chapel. The poster and the church wanted persons who attended to feel a sense of dignity and worth.

"Let us make the man in our image, after our likeness"
(Gen. 1:26) RSV

Persons are important. Persons near us are important - persons far from us are important. They are important because the Bible teaches us to love our neighbor and the Christian mission is to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with all people everywhere. Baptist Colleges in North Carolina see themselves as active participants in realizing the dignity of every human personality and in Christian mission to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with all people everywhere.

Colleges Active in Mission Support

In addition to the important role of preparing future lay leaders for local churches, the colleges continue a strong emphasis upon ministerial and church-related vocational training.

In April 1975, our seven colleges reported a total of 715 persons who were preparing for careers in church leadership. Most of these persons will complete their preparation by attending a seminary. Southern Baptist seminaries listed an enrollment of 303 graduates of North Carolina colleges in the spring of 1975. The Foreign Mission Board has under appointment 152 of our graduates at present, more than 6% of the total number of current missionary personnel. In addition, a significant number of Baptist colleges trained persons serve in strategic posts with the Home Mission Board, Baptist state conventions and associational missions throughout the Southern Baptist Convention. Baptist college students receive excellent experience and training for church and missionary service through Baptist Youth Corps. Approximately 100 Baptist college students were assigned to churches for the summer of 1975. The colleges furnished one-half of the Youth Corps worker's salary and thus enjoy a vital partnership with churches and students in summer mission work.

Cooperative Program Vital to Colleges

With the exception of what students pay, the Cooperative Program continues to be the largest single source of annual income for our colleges. In these days of financial uncertainty, the colleges are grateful for the level of support which North Carolina Baptist have maintained. During 1975, the anticipated Cooperative Program budget for colleges will provide: Campbell

College, $416,066; Chowan College, $263,333; Gardner-Webb College, $329,166; Mars Hill College, $360,776; Meredith College, $360,776; Wake Forest University, $639,900; and Wingate College, $263,333.

Baptist College Day

Another way the churches help to relieve the colleges' financial burden is through the annual offering on Father's Day. Designated for student aid, this offering gives much-needed assistance to many students from Baptist churches, making an education on a Christian college campus possible.

A Pledge and a Plea

North Carolina Baptist colleges are committed to Christian values, and to an active partnership with their fellow-Baptists in evangelism, missions, education and social concern.

Your Baptist colleges sincerely solicit the supportive prayers of Macon County Baptist churches, that they will be aware of and receptive to Divine guidance in performing the work which has been entrusted to them.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Josephine Cabe

NIGHT SESSION — AUGUST 15

7:00 Meditation music by Mrs. Mary Justice at the organ.

26. Rev. Gene Hawkins, Vice-Moderator called the night session to order.

27. Mr. John Johnson led in singing Hymn No. 295 "There's a Glad New Song".

28. Special Music "In Times Like These" ..... Holly Springs Choir

29. Rev. Cecil Frady, Associational Missionary spoke on Truitt Camp oral.

30. Rev. Frady, spoke on the Annuity Board.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board serves as a lifeline of support for 10,034 retired pastors and other church-related workers or their widows.

During 1974, the Board paid about $15-½ million in retirement and other protection benefits to these annuitants. In the Board's 57-year history, it has paid a total of over 125 million in retirement and protection benefits.

The Annuity Board also holds in trust and invests retirement contributions from 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational employees—which will be converted into annuity benefits when they retire.

These funds held in trust amount to a record $353,445,743. While this seems a large amount of money, it needs to be noted that this must be divided by the number of future annuitants it will serve for the remainder of their lifetimes after retirement.

The Annuity Board would have enjoyed its best year ever in 1974, but the stock market's downturn intervened. Realized and unrealized losses in income from bonds, short-term invertments, and common stocks amounted to $21 million.

Gains in other investments reduced the net loss to $11.3 million, or three per cent based on average investments. All investment funds, whether church-related or having other connections, suffered from the stock market decline.

As the stock market began to recover in early 1975, the losses also began to be recovered, Board President Darold H. Morgan said.

In December, 1974, the Board issued a 13th Check to annuitants. It amounted to more than $675,000 and was equal to one month's benefits. It is called a 13th Check because is is issued above and beyond the 12 regular monthly benefit checks distributed to annuitants.

Additional information about the Annuity Board may be obtained through the Development Office, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS, 1974

Retirement Plans:	Total Members
Plan A (churches-agencies)	26,390
Plan B (churches-agencies)	18,301
Plan C (churches-agencies)	5,730
Total Benefits Paid (retirement)	$15,452,446
Relief Benefits	$216,513
Relief Recipients	409

Insurance	Total Members
Health Insurance	14,449
Group Life (churches)	8,035
Group Life (agencies)	12,704
*Life Benefit Plan	3,664

*Closed to new members

In North Carolina 2134 churches and associations and 2616 staff members are currently participating in the Southern Baptist Protection Program.

31. Place and Preacher report was presented by Rev. Cecil Frady.

PLACE AND PREACHER REPORT

The meeting next year will be held with the Ridgecrest Baptist Church, for the night session and Liberty Baptist Church for the afternoon and night sessions.

The Rev. Roy Lowe Will deliver the Annual Sermon and Rev. Wiley Gibson will bring the Doctrinal Sermon.

32. Miss May McCoy spoke to Historian Report. Miss McCoy served seven years as Historian and was given a vote of **Thanks.**

HISTORICAL REPORT

The 72nd annual session of the Macon Baptist Association is scheduled to meet on August 14-15 as follows: the night (1st) service will be held with the Holly Springs Baptist Church in the afternoon and at night. The afternoon service will be followed by a covered dish supper, then re-assemble for the last service. This is the first time that the services of the day has been held as thus stated.

The 71st annual session voted to make this change hoping that more people would be able to attend. The closing hours are very interesting and very important. All delegates, pastors and leaders need to be present for the closing hour, if possible.

The attendance at last year's annual session was better than usual. Around 165 people came for the first meeting with thirteen pastors present. The fellowship was good and many good reports were given. Also the association adopted a letter which had been prepared to send to President Gerald Ford expressing gratitude for his Inaugural address to the American people and for this Christian courage in asking for the prayers of the American people as he tries to serve as President of the United States of America.

Rev. Judson Duvall, Moderator of Macon Baptist Association, received a letter of thanks from President Ford for such thoughtfulness and read in part this statement: "While I did not seek this great responsibility, I will not shirk it. Having the support and prayers of fine people like you is a source of strength and encouragement to me." Sincerely yours, Gerald R. Ford.

The associational year (1974-75) has been an eventful one. Some things of note are as follows: (1) Offerings for Off-Set printing equipment was such that the last payment was met on time. The total cost was $2,696.73. Individuals, churches, and Woman Missionary Union contributions amounted to a total of $2,976.93 which left a balance of $280.20. This was used on Macon Baptist House payment.

(2) **Out Reach Program** which Rev. Cecil Frady, our pastors, and others worked at so faithfully teaching and helping churches in setting goals for high attendance day in Sunday School paid off. On November 17, 2,755 people were reported in Sunday School, this was 77 more than last year's reported attendance.

(3) **Help Given Honduras.** Twenty churches in Macon Baptist Association sponsored Rev. Cecil Frady's trip to Honduras. He went as a member of a mission team for the purpose of rebuilding a church there that had been destroyed by a flood. The amount given by the 20 churches was $647.94. Mount Hope Church sent their pastor and paid his expenses. Rev. Eugene Redley, is their pastor. J. C. Jacobs also went and paid his own way. This is another time Macon Baptist has shown deep concern for world missions.

(4) **Prayer Retreat** Miss Bertha Smith of Cowpens, S. C. came to Franklin to hold a prayer retreat April 7-9 in 1975. These services were at first planned only for pastors. Since only a few pastors in Macon Association could attend regularly the invitation was extended to adjoining county ministers and to deacons their wives and WMU workers. A goodly number attended. One deacon who attended one service remarked; "I never heard in all my life such a wonderful message. I wish I could have been present each time."

Macon Association was fortunate indeed to have such a dedicated lady age 86, with such a knowledge of the Bible and how the Lord has used her to carry the good news of the Gospel to so many people in her life-time. Miss Bertha is the Author of two books (available at any Baptist Book Store) "Go Home and Tell" was her first one "How the Spirit Filled My Life," written in 1973. Miss Bertha was a missionary to China for almost 42 years. She was appointed to China in 1917 by the Foreign Mission Board. She retired on her 70th birthday and since then has been busy going from state to state holding prayer retreats hoping to bring a reviving of Southern Baptist Churches.

(5) **Tour of Proposed Baptist Retirement Home** On September 7th, 1974 two church buses and several private cars carried more than 100 Maconian Baptist to Broyhill Home and on to Asheville to see the Pearson Estate (including the century old mansion) where Baptists propose to build a Western Carolina Baptist Retirement Home. Rev. Nane Starnes, who is serving as interim pastor of Franklin First Baptist Church was our guide and speaker for this gathering. He told us how Baptist got hold of this beautiful 21 acre estate; much of the history of this estate and what the Baptist Retirement Board of our Baptist State Convention is proposing to do with this property. This was a very enjoyable event to Maconian Baptist and a real challenge to open up our hearts and go deep into our pocketbooks to be partners in such an interesting and much needed project.

Various Church News —

Mount Hope Church called Rev. Eugene Ridley to serve as their pastor just after the close of 1973-74 associational year. Rev. Ridley comes to us from Haywood Association. Under his leadership Mount Hope sponsors a five day week preaching ministry over Franklin's WFSC radio. The church has a very active visitation program on Tuesday nights. Also a Baptist men's organization has been established.

Franklin First — This church has been well served for the last fourteen months under the leadership of Rev. Nane Starns serving as interim pastor. Under his preaching and teaching the church has grown in the spirit of unity and Christian fellowship. More than thirty have been added to our

church membership. Eight of them by Baptism. Through the summer a youth program is being sponsored by the church. Marcus Gray who is a ministerial student at Mars Hill College is directing this program.

On Sunday morning June 1, 1975 at a called conference with a splendid show of unity Franklin First Church extended a call to Rev. Gerald J. Bearden to become their pastor. He has accepted the call and will begin his pastorate on August 17th.

Rev. Gerald Bearden is a native of South Carolina. He is 37 years of age and pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church, Toccoa, Georgia where he has served the last ten years. His ministry there has been most fruitful and the records of attainment exceptional.

Tesenta Church The oldest Baptist Church in Macon County, according to minutes, organized in 1800, has reopened its doors and is having services once again. The building has been repaired by making a new floor and a new porch. It also has been painted inside and out. A new piano has been bought and some new hymn books. Plans are being made for more improvements on the building. A revival was held at Tesenta early in the spring and eight people were baptized. Sunday School has been organized. Officers and teachers have been elected. A day of homecoming was enjoyed recently and many people attended. Rev. Daniel Mason is serving as pastor. A native of Macon County. All this is good news to Macon Baptists.

Liberty Church, is building a new front to their present building. Rev. Clarence Martin who has been serving as pastor since 1972 resigned in February 1975. Rev. Dennis Hooper is now serving as interim pastor.

Sugarfork Church, this church has added a nursery and two Sunday School rooms to their present building. Rev. James Crayton is pastor.

Cowee Church, Rev. Glen Whitley has resigned as pastor and Rev. Charles Leatherman is now serving as interim pastor.

Highlands Church, Rev. H. L. Stewart has resigned as pastor. He is now serving a church in South Carolina. Rev. Frank Nagle is serving as interim pastor.

Watauga Church, Rev. Jess Cunningham has resigned as pastor due to his health.

Oak Dale Church, Rev. Wallace Tallent has resigned as pastor of Oak Dale.

Iotla Church, Rev. M. I. Brock who has been serving as pastor for a number of years at Iotla has been presented a lot in the Iotla community for his retirement home site.

Longview Church, reports of much growth in reaching out through visitation and bus ministry. This church has two buses now and attendance is still growing in Sunday School and all other services. Rev. Wiley Gibson served Longview as pastor a few years ago but resigned to go to Dillan Montana to do mission work there. He came back to Macon County last fall and Longview church elected him again as their pastor. Under his leadership the church has been steadily growing.

Newmans Chapel Church has called Rev. Waymond S. Lunsford as their pastor. Rev. Lunsford is a vative of Georgia. He was ordained to the Gospel ministry in 1958. Since then he has pastored several churches in Georgia and some in North Carolina. He came to Newmans Chapel from Marble Springs Church, Marble, North Carolina. We welcome him to Macon Baptist Association.

Coweeta Church has installed new lights in their church since Rev. Bobby Crawford became their pastor.

Baptismal Services All the following were held on March 2nd. **Longview** held a double service, four people were from West Franklin and three from Longview. **Mount Hope** The pastor baptized thirteen. This followed a series of revival services held there and reported by Rev. Eugene Ridley. At Highlands church Rev. Cecil Frady held a baptismal service. Number not given. Rev. Judson Hall baptized five at Holly Springs the past year.

Many other revivals and baptismal services were held in our association this past year I'm sure, but I have not been informed of them. All such good news will be recorded on the church letters which are sent to our associational clerk for tabulation.

There is little room anywhere for Christ's kingdom work to stand still. In a church or in an association, Christ's work will be growing in some way or it will be going backward.

The Lord has blessed our efforts this year in a wonderful way. Our moderator, other pastors and our Superintendent of Missions, Rev. Frady have attended many conferences and leadership meetings. Also many Bible study courses have been taught in our churches. All this was designed to keep Macon Baptists informed concerning suggestions and new trends proposed by our Baptist State Convention and our Southern Baptist Convention.

We believe that an informed Christian is a growing, working Christian. An informed church is a working, growing church. There is a place for each Christian. Our churches and Macon Association needs every Christians prayer ideas, and talents that God's work may grow and be joyous and most fruitful.

May all Baptist in Macon Association look out around us and see the great prospects and challenges there are for us. Then put on the whole armour of God as stated in Ephesians 6:10-18 and then the Associational year 1975-76 will indeed be a glorious one from many angles.

Respectfully submitted, May McCoy — Historian

33. The congregation stood in a moment of silence in memorial to Our Beloved Dead. Rev. M. I. Brock read the names of Our Beloved Dead.

IN MEMORIAM

OUR BELOVED DEAD

Aquone
Mrs. Eva Yonce
Mr. Luther H. Jacobs

Briartown
Mrs. Eula Douthit
Mrs. Sallie Cochran
Mrs. Nola Owenby
Mrs. Betty Wikle
Mr. Emmitt Shields
Mr. Robert Hampton
Mr. Garland May

Burningtown
Rev. C. C. Welch
Mrs. Alice Yonce
Miss Stella McCoy
Mr. W. P. Martin
Mrs. Belle Holbrooks

Calvary
Mr. Lloyd Bradley
Mrs. Bethel Bingham

Cartoogechaye
Mrs. Dovie Beck
Harley Ledbetter

Clear Creek
John Wilson

Cowee
Mrs. Nancy Leatherman
Mr. Marvin Pickens
Mr. Earl Gibson

Coweeta
Mr. Joe Anderson
Mr. Cordy Ramey

Ellijay
Mrs. Frona Dunn
Mrs. Bessie Mincey
Mrs. Clarence Moses

Franklin First
Mrs. Minnie Bryant
Mrs. Floyd Welch
Mr. J. T. Ensley
Mr. Earl English
Mr. Charlie Jones
Mr. F. H. Higdon

Higdonville
Mrs. Lillie Crawford

Highlands
Mr. Gordon Buris

Holly Springs
Mrs. Bessie Johnson
Mrs. Jeanette Guest
Mr. Wade Taylor

Liberty
E. O. Rickman (Deacon)

Mount Hope
Mrs. Nina Johnson
Mrs. Nora Green
Mrs. Cleta Tippett
Mr. .s Lewis

Newman's Chapel
Mrs. C. S. Sams
Mrs. Grace Ayers

Oak Dale
Lawrence Roper (Deacon)
Rufus Deitz

Oak Grove
Mr. Carl Dean
Mr. Victor Queen

Pleasant Hill
Mr. Howard Ledford
Mrs. Orpha Ledford
Mr. Charlie Ledford

Prentiss
Mr. John Williamsor

Rose Creek
Mrs. Pansy Burnette

Shortoff
Mr. Arthur Miller

Sugarfork
Mr. Marvin McDowell
Mrs. Vergie Crisp
Mr. Jeter Higdon

Tellico
Mr. Everett Hampton
Mrs. Bell Childers

Terenta
Mrs. Viola Vanhook

Union Hill
Mrs. Pauline Passmore

Watauga
Mr. J. B. Brendle
Mr. Kelsey McMahan
Mr. Frank Scott
Mr. Otis Mashburn
Mr. Joe Brendle

Windy Gap
Mr. Gurney Holler
Mr. John Tallent
Mrs. Betty Jo Stewart

34. Mr. Johnson led the group in singing "Praise Him! Praise Him!"
35. Doctrinal Message — Rev. Eugene Ridley, read as his Scripture Galatians 4:14-31.
36. The Associational Officers for 1975-76 were installed by Rev. Judson Hall.
37. Rev. Earl Dendy moved adoption of all reports that had been given. Reports adopted.
38. The Benediction was by Rev. Gerald Bearden.
39. The Macon Baptist Association adjourned it's final session of the Seventy-Second Annual Meeting of the body at 9:15 P.M.

Rev. Gene Hawkins, Vice-Moderator
Mrs. Mary Justice, Clerk

Table A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON

Association: NORTH CAROLINA

State

Mrs. Mary Justice *All Churches are in Macon County

Associational Clerk

Franklin North Carolina 28734

Address: City State Zip

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	3 Telephone	4 Year organized as a church	5 Location (1 Open Country; 2 Village (under 500 pop.); 3 Town (500-2499); 4 Small City (2500-9999); Medium City (10,000 to 49,999): 5 Downtown, 6 Neighborhood, 7 Suburban; Large City (50,000 or more): 8 Downtown, 9 Neighborhood, 0 Suburban)	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	5 Services held twice on Sunday? N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	25 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	26 Value of church property including pastor's home	27 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Aquone	Ralph Postell, Andrews 28901	321-4390	1942	1	x		6	8	2	99	30	129			0	0	0
Bethel Hill	Ralph Postell, Andrews 28901	321-4390	1954	1	x		5	0	1	78	23	101	0	0	0	100,000	0
Black Mountain	Johnny Raby, Iotla St., Franklin 28734	524-7322	1940	1	x		1	6	6	86	21	107	0	0	0	35,000	0
Briartown	Kenneth Jenkins, P.O. Box 158, Bryson C. 28713	488-3028	1863	1	x		1	1	13	104	128	232	0	0	0	30,000	0
Buck Creek	Paul Jones, Jr., Rt. 1. Alto, Ga. 30510	404-778-7608	1910	1		x	12	2	3	24	83	177	0	0	0	0	0
Burningtown	Earl Dendy, Rt. 1, Box 399, Highlands 28741	524-5051	1839	1	x		1	4	7	125	58	183	0	0	0	36,000	0
Calvary	Claude Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	524-3375	1944	1		x	0	0	7	40	20	60	0	0	0	8,000	0
Cartoogechaye	None		1835	1	x		1	0	0	100	30	130	0	0	0	38,000	0
Clear Creek	Leonard Talley, Box 197, Mountain City, Ga.	746-5761	1879	1	x		7	5	5	92	26	118	0	0	0	40,000	0
Cowee	None /30562		1823	1	x		0	6	7	259	87	346	0	0	60,000	310,000	20,873
Coweeta	Robert Carpenter, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga.		1831	1	x		8	8	2	139	54	193	0	0	0	0	0
Ellijay	Walter Clark, Rt. 1, Alto, Georgia 30510	778-7703	1893	1	x		0	0	2	50	22	72	0	0	0	8,000	0
Fairview Flats	Turner Ramey, Highlands 28741		1883	1	x		2	2	5	75	35	110	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, East	Harry Garner, Rt. 1, Box 55, Franklin 28734	524-5117	1961	1	x		0	0	0	59	0	59	0	0	0	18,000	1,240
Franklin, First	Gerald J. Bearden, 21 Iotla St., Franklin 28734	524-3019	1822	3	x		8	20	23	547	239	786	0	8	0	800,000	11,340
Franklin, West	Andrew Cloer, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	524-6245	1861	1	x		3	2	1	126	10	136	1	0	0	75,000	6,021
Gold Mine	Terry Moffitt, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734		1861	1	x		0	1	6	76	50	126	0	0	0	0	0
Higdonville	Gene Hawkins, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	524-4613	1950	1	x		0	3	0	75	25	100	0	0	0	30,000	0
Highlands, First			1896	3	x		1	6	11	352	150	502	0	2	20,000	175,000	0
Holly Springs	Judson Hall, Rt. 7, Box 400, Franklin 28734	524-5224	1914	1	x		5	1	13	177	36	213	1	2	50,000	150,000	10,221
Iotla	Millard T. Brock, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734		1903	1	x		1	7	6	356	112	468	0	0	50,000	200,000	0
Liberty	Dennis Hooper, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734		1874	1	x		8	7	8	191	130	321	0	0	0	50,000	0
Longview	James W. Gibson, Franklin 28734		1942	1	x		6	18	6	180	55	235	0	0	0	50,000	0
Mashburn Branch	Mack Reed, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga. 30525	782-3001	1952	1	x		1	0	2	92	7	100	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Eugene Ridley, Rt. 1, Franklin	524-2566	1886	1	x		50	18	11	255	103	358	0	0	25,000	85,000	15,422
Mountain Grove																	
Newman's Chapel	Wymon Lunsford, Rt. 1, Clayton, Ga. 20525	782-5290	1920	1	x		3	7	7	158	27	185	0	1	0	25,000	0
Oak Dale	Don Ledford, 60 Forest Ave., Franklin	524-5241	1888	1	x		4	4	2	75	59	134	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Earnie Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	524-7180	1888	1	x		0	2	6	183	74	257	0	1	0		0
Pine Grove	Ricky Harrell, Rt. 7, % J. S. Cunningham, Fran.	524-8210	Unk.	1	x		0	4	5	71	131	202	0	0	0	25,000	0
Pleasant Hill	Alton Dendy, Rt. 5, Goldmine Rd. Franklin 28734	524-5155	1888	1	x		6	9	13	181	144	325	0	0	0	15,000	0
Prentiss	Jerry L. Davidson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	524-8527	1914	1	x		0	5	4	76	58	134	0	0	0	25,000	0
Ridgecrest	Guy Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 294, Franklin 28734	524-3952	1925	1	x		7	5	6	141	114	255	4	1	0	75,000	0
Rose Creek	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	524-4232	1939	1	x		0	0	4	38	0	38	0	0	0	20,000	0
Shortoff	Roy F. Lowe, Franklin 28734	524-5157	1935	1	x		5	7	3	82	63	145	0	0		35,000	0
Sugarfork	Jim Crayton, Rt. 5, Box 132, Franklin 28734	524-6071	1836	1	x		5	5	6	190	48	238	0	0	0	16,000	0
Tellico	Fred Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	524-4232	1884	1	x		6	0	2	52	42	94	0	0	0		0
Tesenta	Daniel Jeral Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734						8										
Union Hill	Raymond Wilson, Star Rt., Topton 28781		1892	1			0	8	9	46	49	95	0	0	0	6,500	0
Walnut Creek	Walter Clark, Rt. 1, Alto, Ga. 35150	778-7703	1951	1			2	0	2	23	34	57	0	0	0		0
Watauga	Wallace Tallent, Rt. 6, Box 993, Franklin 28734	524-3904	1886	1	x		0	1	6	153	114	267	0	1	0	75,000	0
Wells Grove	Jud Duvall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	524-2433		1	x		5	9	3	98	34	132	2	0	0		
West Union	Paul Morgan, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734		1962	1	x		0	0	0	23	9	32	0	0	0		
White Oak Flats																	
Windy Gap	Grady Norman, 11 Dillard Town Rd., Sylva 28779		1949	1	x		0	0	8	75	50	125	0	0	0	30,000	0
32	TOTALS						178	191	233	5,392	2,564	8,067	8	17	$160,000	$2,495,500	$65,117

Table B SUNDAY SCHOOL

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON
Association

NORTH CAROLINA
State

Cliff Cook
Associational Sunday School Director

Depot Street Franklin North Carolina 28734
Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	53 Cradle Roll enrolment (under 2 years of age)	54 Preschool enrolment (2-5 years--not in school)	55 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	56 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	57 Young Adult enrolment-Single (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	58 Young Adult enrolment-married (18-29 years or H.S. graduation through 29 years)	59 Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	60 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	61 Adults Away enrolment	62 Homebound Units enrolment	63 General officers enrolment	64 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	65 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	66 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	67 Number of Bible Study groups	68 Bible Study groups enrolment	69 Weekday Bible Study enrolment	70 Church V.B.S. enrolment	71 Mission V.B.S. enrolment	72 Total V.B.S. enrolment
Aquone	Larry Waters, Star Rt., Topton 28781-321-5167	0	0	35	12	0	0	36	6	0	0	2	0	91	75	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel Hill	J. D. Owenby, Star Rt., Topton 28781-321-5978	0	10	6	9	0	0	32	16	0	0	0	0	73	47	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	Terry Ledford, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	2	8	8	4	0	4	25	8	2	0	0	0	61	45	1	15	0	32	0	32
Briartown	Ronald Douthit, St. Rt., Topton 28781-321-4756	0	4	6	10	8	4	20	16	0	0	6	0	74	55	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	Glenn Holland, Rt. 5, Box 558, Franklin 28734	0	7	8	4	7	14	21	0	0	0	0	0	61	42	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burrington	Bob Bishop, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734 /524-5064	0	10	18	7	0	17	14	12	0	0	3	0	81	56	0	0	0	43	0	43
Calvary	Frank Nagle, Ott 28763	0	3	0	12	0	0	10	6	0	0	0	0	31	27	0	0	0	30	0	30
Cartoogechaye	Tim Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	4	4	12	16	15	36	8	0	0	0	0	0	95	95	0	0	0	30	0	30
Clear Creek	C. O. Wilson, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741-526-3227	2	1	4	8	0	10	21	4	0	0	0	0	50	48	1	25	0	30	0	30
Cowee	Charles Cabe, 324 Harrison Ave., Franklin 28734	11	12	28	32	0	31	44	30	0	7	2	0	197	114	0	0	0	82	0	82
Coweeta	Claude Curtiss, Otto 28763 /524-4343	6	5	8	10	3	14	19	11	0	0	4	0	80	64	0	0	0	58	0	58
Ellijay	Morlan Bowman, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	2	5	5	0	20	10	10	22	0	0	0	0	74	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairview Flats	Cling Brown, Clayton, Ga. 30525 - 782-4973	0	0	10	10	0	0	35	0	0	0	4	0	59	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, East	Howard Plemmons, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734-524-5027		6	3	10	0	0	12	0	0	0	5	0	36	21	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	Dr. David Henson, E. Main St., Franklin-4-2163	0	35	49	62	0	54	73	75	0	24	3	0	375	185	0	0	0	98	0	98
Franklin, West	Arnold Carpenter, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	8	22	8	0	20	5	4	0	0	2	0	69	45	0	0	0	42	0	42
Gold Mine	Johnny Rogers, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741-524-7044	5	5	4	9	17	0	9	21	0	0	2	0	72	55	1	15	0	29	0	29
Higdonville	Larry Raby, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734 - 524-5219	0	5	12	8	5	15	20	10	0	0	0	0	75	48	0	0	0	25	0	25
Highlands, First	Baker Crane, Box 242 Highlands 28741-526-3850	10	0	36	40	11	0	57	0	0	0	4	0	158	74	0	0	0	48	0	48
Holly Springs	Jim Williamson, 48A Lake Side Dr., Franklin	4	5	12	12	5	4	30	30	0	0	3	0	105	75	0	0	0	45	0	45
Iotla	Bill Houston, Rt. 3, Franklin 524-5958/524-2605	0	10	14	12	13	25	23	39	0	0	0	0	136	86	0	0	0	57	0	57
Liberty	Ralph Allen, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734 - 524-5205	0	17	24	19	11	28	67	17	0	5	5	0	187	108	0	0	0	97	0	97
Longview	Kenneth Jones, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	4	10	20	28	12	28	42	16	0	0	4	2	166	150	0	0	0	95	0	95
Mashburn Branch	Berlin Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	3	7	7	18	9	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	0	0	0	51	0	51
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734-524-3452	6	18	52	47	4	33	53	21	0	0	2	0	236	147	0	0	0	124	0	124
Mountain Grove																					
Newman's Cahpel	Dean Lamb, Rt. 1, Rabun Gap, Ga. 30568	0	12	34	22	10	16	21	40	0	0	3	0	155	84	0	0	0	138	0	138
Oak Dale	Ezell Bryant, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734-524-4897	0	5	11	8	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	John Clark, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	2	8	9	8	10	12	10	8	0	0	6	0	73	53	33	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grove	David McClure, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734-524-5244	2	5	5	3	6	8	8	9	0	0	2	0	46	50	1	15	0	35	0	35
Pleasant Hill	Chuck Bates, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	10	9	8	0	28	16	16	0	0	7	0	94	95	0	0	0	53	0	53
Prentiss	Harry Brabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734-524-2905	2	8	13	4	4	8	21	11	0	0	4	0	77	41	0	0	0	43	0	43
Ridgecrest	J. P. Shuford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	1	5	10	14	2	8	28	14	0	0	2	0	84	45	1	20	0	61	0	61
Rosecreek	None	0	0	7	10	4	4	18	0	0	0	10	0	43	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shortoff	Harold Neely, Rt. 2, Box 20, Highlands 28741	0	9	15	6	0	3	18	7	1	0	4	0	62	36	0	0	0	41	0	41
Sugarfork	Alex Deal, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734 - 524-2543	0	25	36	12	11	8	49	19	0	0	23	0	183	103	0	0	0	60	0	60
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	7	3	8	1	0	21	8	0	0	4	0	49	37	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tesenta	Ronald Carpenter, Franklin																				
Union Hill	Arnold Passmore, Star Rt., Topton 28781	4	0	7	8	0	0	18	0	0	0	8	0	45	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	None																				
Watauga	Carl McMahan, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	14	15	9	24	0	17	34	11	0	0	4	0	128	93	0	0	0	83	0	83
Wells Grove	Doug Huntly, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734-524-7504	0	3	7	9	13	16	28	24	0	0	2	0	102	66	0	0	0	53	0	53
West Union	Michel Stamey, Rt. 2, Box 1004, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	40	0	40
White Oak Flats																					
Windy Gap	Edgar Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734-524-3396	3	2	8	5	0	5	7	8	12	9	8	0	66	21	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	TOTALS	84	305	586	536	210	489	1,019	539	18	45	138	2	3,900	2,659	39	90	0	1,623	0	1,623

Table C CHURCH TRAINING

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Training Union Director: Johnny Rogers

Address: Rt. 1 Highlands North Carolina 28741 (City, State, Zip)

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	73 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under--not in school)	74 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	75 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	76 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	77 Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	78 Senior Adult enrolment (60-59 years)	79 General officers enrolment	80 Enrollment of mission(s) of church	81 Total Training Union ongoing enrolment	82 Average weekly Church Training attendance	83 New Member Registration: Children	84 New Member Registration: Youth	85 New Member Registration: Adult	85 Church Leader Training Registration	87 Short Term Member Training Project Registration
Aquone	None															
Bethel Hill	Mickey Roper, Star Rt. Box 305, Topton 28781 321-4592	5	6	9	0	11	10	0	0	41	15	0	0	0	0	0
Black Mountain	None															
Briartown	Ronald Douthit, Star St., Topton 28781 321-4756	1	6	5	8	20	6	6	0	52	39	0	0	0	0	0
Buck Creek	None															
Bruningtown	Mrs. Ruth Simonds, Rt. 3, Box 584, Franklin 28734-524-4247	4	2	8	6	11	4	3	0	38	20	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	None															
Cartoogechaye	Halen Roane, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	6	8	10	20	0	0	0	44	44	0	0	0	0	0
Clear Creek	None															
Cowee	Roy Tippett, Rt. 4, Box 763, Franklin 28734 524-3501	7	12	15	0	17	14	2	0	67	40	4	1	2	0	65
Coweeta	None															
Ellijay	None															
Fairview																
Flats	None															
Franklin, East	Howard Plemmons, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734 524-5027	0	0	1	0	8	0	1	0	10	8	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	None															
Franklin, West	None															
Gold Mine	Larry Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741 524-7044	2	4	6	6	11	5	6	0	40	30	0	0	0	0	0
Higdonville	Victor Teague, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734 524-3158	2	6	7	0	14	3	0	0	32	22	0	0	0	0	0
Highlands, First	None															
Holly Springs	Mrs. Dean Johnson, Rt. 7, Box 1212, Franklin 524-5343	2	7	4	2	15	4	2	0	37	23	0	0	0	0	0
Iotla	Mrs. Emma Lee Carpenter, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	2	3	3	9	1	2	0	20	9	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	Joe Allen, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	5	11	10	14	30	5	3	0	78	48	0	0	0	0	0
Longview	Violet Perry, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	7	5	6	25	12	5	0	60	40	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Howard Mincey, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	6	13	8	8	0	1	0	36	30	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Richard Burnett, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734 524-2637	9	19	23	15	21	5	2	0	94	64	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain Grove																
Newman's Chapel	Weaver Fox, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	5	11	9	7	12	3	2	0	49	39	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Dale	None															
Oak Grove	None															
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Box 526, Franklin 524-3075	0	0	1	11	2	0	1	0	15	9	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Janice Stockton, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	6	6	0	20	20	0	0	0	52	45	0	0	4	0	0
Prentiss	Robert Shook, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	4	3	5	0	7	0	4	0	23	16	0	0	0	0	0
Ridgecrest	David Morgan, Watauga St., Franklin 28734	3	10	8	10	14	2	6	0	53	28	0	0	0	0	0
Rose Creek	None															
Shortoff	Merlin Crowe, Highlands 28741 526-3351	7	11	5	4	10	4	5	0	46	34	0	0	0	0	0
Sugarfork	None															
Tellico	None															
Tesenta	None															
Union Hill	None															
Walnut Creek	None															
Watauga	Mrs. Larry Bishop, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	4	7	11	5	13	4	4	0	48	26	0	0	0	0	0
Wells Grove	O. L. Jackson, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	3	8	11	9	4	0	0	40	35	0	0	0	0	0
West Union	None															
White Oak Flats																
Windy Gap	None															
	TOTALS	66	145	164	146	307	86	55	0	975	664	4	1	6	0	65

Table D CHURCH MUSIC

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Music Director: John Johnson

Address: Hemlock Drive City: Franklin State: North Carolina Zip: 28734

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		88 Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	89 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	90 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	91 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	92 Handbell ringers enrolment	93 Vocal ensemble enrolment	94 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	95 General music leaders enrolment	96 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	97 Total ongoing church music enrolment	98 Average weekly church music attendance	99 Church music study group enrolment
Aquone	Dwight Waters, Star Rt., Topton 28781	321-5218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel Hill	Austin Jacobs, Star Rt., Topton 28781	321-5080	3	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	13	0
Black Mountain	John Murphy, Rt. 2, Box 980, Franklin 28734	524-4592	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Briartown	Carl Cross, Star Rt., Topton 28781	321-5193	0	4	0	17	0	10	0	2	0	33	25	0
Buck Creek	None													
Burningtown	Mrs. Lucille Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	524-4615	0	6	1	14	0		0	0	0	21	13	0
Calvary	None													
Cartoogechaye	Steve Reeves, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	524-5576	0	6	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	26	26	0
Clear Creek	Mrs. Dollie McCall, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	526-3311	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cowee	None													
Coweeta	Grady Stiles, Rt. 1, Box 188, Dillard, Ga. 30537		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ellijay	Carl Mincey, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairview														
Flats	None													
Franklin, East	None													
Franklin, First	James H. Fisher, 3 Central, Sylva 28779	586-4963	0	15	25	20	0	0	0	3	0	63	50	0
Franklin, West	Tommy Norman, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	524-5649	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gold Mine	Neville Owens, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	524-3966	2	3	4	17	0	0	0	1	0	23	17	0
Higdonville	None													
Highlands, First	None													
Holly Springs	Mrs. Jim Williamson, 48-A Lake Side Dr., Franklin 28734	524-2605	2	12	8	22	0	0	0	2	0	44	30	0
Iotla	Mrs. John Campbell, Rt. 3, Box 881, Franklin 28734	524-3422	0	3	6	17	0	0	0	0	0	25	16	0
Liberty	Spurgeon Freeman, 129 Sloan St., Franklin 28734		5	12	6	25	0	0	0	3	0	51	50	0
Longview	Zeb Hall, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mashburn Branch	Miss Mary Gibson, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Hope	Kenneth Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	524-2911	1	12	17	30	0	0	3	3	0	66	60	0
Mountain Grove														
Newman's Chapel	Furman Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 20525		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	39	0
Oak Dale	Ruth Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	524-3964	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Louetta Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734		0	0	5	15	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0
Pine Grove	Steve Stiles, Rt. 6, Box 526, Franklin 28734	524-3075	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasant Hill	Ruth Dendy, Rt. 5, Goldmine Rd., Franklin 28734	524-5155	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prentiss	J. B. McConnell, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ridgecrest	John Smith, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734		0	4	5	10	0	0	0	1	0	20	13	0
Rose Creek	None													
Shortoff	Vic Wood, Highlands 28741	526-2022	1	8	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	21	12	0
Sugarfork	None													
Tellico	Arlin Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734		0	0	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	14	10	0
Tesenta	Benbow Dills, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	321-5894	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	None													
Watauga	Mrs. Troy Ledford, Rt. 7, Box 856, Franklin	524-4459	0	6	8	15	0	0	0	5	0	34	26	0
Wells Grove	Jay Jennings, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	524-3702	0	0	6	15	0	0	3	3	0	27	12	0
West Union	None													
White Oak Flats														
Windy Gap	Blanche Younce, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	524-3396	2	4	5	8	0	0	0	2	0	19	10	0
	TOTALS		16	101	116	254	0	10	6	26	0	560	442	0

Table E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON

Association NORTH CAROLINA

State Mrs. Mamie Raby

Associational WMU Director Route 7 Franklin North Carolina 28734

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114
			Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
			Mission Friends (5 years and under--not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under--not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU ongoing enrolment
Aquone	None																
Bethel Hill	None																
Black Mountain	None																
Briartown	None																
Buck Creek	None																
Burningtown	None																
Calvary	None			1													
Cartoogechaye	None																
Clear Creek	None																
Cowee	Mrs. Dixie Shook, Franklin 28734		0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	8	5	0	28	3	0	44
Coweeta	Mrs. Margaret Carpenter, Rt. 1, Otto		0	1	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Ellijay	None																
Fairview																	
Flats	None																
Franklin, East	None																
Franklin, First	Mrs. Elaine Bradley, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	524-5385	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	8	14	0	13	51	8	0	94
Franklin, West	Mrs. Eleanor Cochran, 32 Curtis St., Franklin 28734	524-5790	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	15	0	0	10	2	0	27
Gold Mine	None																
Higdonville	None																
Highlands, First	Mrs. Emily Houston, Box 485, Highlands 28741	526-3106	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	7	26	8	0	35	14	0	89
Holly Springs	Mrs. Lefferts Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	524-2681	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	8	0	0	7	2	0	17
Iotla	Mrs. M. I. Brock, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	524-2551	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	13	20	15	10	18	7	0	83
Liberty	None																
Longview	Gladys Mansell, Franklin 28734		1	3	1	1	1	0	6	12	34	13	15	17	5	0	96
Mashburn Branch	None																
Mount Hope	Mrs. Jean Holt, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	524-5109	2	3	1	1	1	0	8	11	20	12	15	9	4	0	71
Mountain Grove																	
Newman's Chapel	None																
Oak Dale	None																
Oak Grove	None																
Pine Grove	None																
Pleasant Hill	None																
Prentiss	None																
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Jeter Higdon, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	524-2981	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	10	0	0	14
Rose Creek	None																
Shortoff	None																
Sugarfork	None																
Tellico	None																
Tesenta	None																
Union Hill	None																
Walnut Creek	None																
Watauga	None																
Wells Grove	None																
West Union	None																
White Oak Flats	None																
Windy Gap	None																
	TOTALS		6	26	6	4	10	0	49	51	145	57	53	185	47	0	537

Table F BROTHERHOOD

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON

Association NORTH CAROLINA

State

Associational Brotherhood Director Franklin North Carolina 28734

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	115 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	116 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	117 RA leader and committee	118 Baptist Men enrolment (18-59 years or H.S. graduation to retirement)	119 Other Baptist men groups	120 Brotherhood director and other Brotherhood General Officers	121 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	122 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment	123 Other boys involved in mission activities	124 Miscellaneous Baptist men
Aquone	None										
Bethel Hill	None										
Black Mountain	None										
Briartown	None										
Buck Creek	None										
Burningtown	None										
Calvary	None										
Cartoogechaye	None										
Clear Creek	None										
Cowee	None										
Coweeta	None										
Ellijay	None										
Fairview	None										
Flats	None										
Franklin, East	None										
Franklin, First	None										
Franklin, West	Doug McDowell, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734 524-7660	5	4	0	0	0	1	0	10	0	0
Gold Mine	None										
Higdonville	None										
Highlands, First	None										
Holly Springs	None										
Iotla	None										
Liberty	None										
Longview	None										
Mashburn Branch	None										
Mount Hope	None										
Mountain Grove	None										
Newman's Chapel	None										
Oak Dale	None										
Oak Grove	None										
Pine Grove	None										
Pleasant Hill	None										
Prentiss	None										
Ridgecrest	None										
Rose Creek	None										
Shortoff	None										
Sugarfork	None										
Tellico	None										
Tesenta	None										
Union Hill	None										
Walnut Creek	None										
Watauga	None										
Wells Grove	None										
West Union	None										
White Oak Flats	None										
Windy Gap	None										
37	TOTALS	5	4	0	0	0	1	0	10	0	0

Table G Total Receipts, Local Expenditures

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

Association: MACON

State: NORTH CAROLINA

Associational Treasurer: Mrs. Elizabeth Mason

Address: Franklin, North Carolina 28734 (City, State, Zip)

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	21	22						23	24	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134
		Number of tithers	Budget promotion or emphasis used during the year: Simplified	Stewardship Revival	Committed to Tithe	Forward Program	Alt. Forward Program	None	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Aquone	Mrs. Faye Wood, Star Rt., Topton 28781-321-4337	0					x	0	0	$ 3,759	$ 0	$ 3,759	$ 0	$ 0	$ 3,500	$ 0	$ 93	$ 147	$ 3,500
Bethel Hill	Carlene Grant, Box 311, Topton 28781 321-4476	2					x	0	0	4,660	0	4,660	0	2,037	0	0	83	2,729	4,849
Black Mountain	Dover Shope, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734 524-5667	6					x	0	0	3,470	750	4,220	0	2,160	0	0	310	778	3,248
Briartown	Jennilou May, St. Rt., Topton 28781 321-5414	9					x	0	0	11,650	0	11,650	5,000	3,034	9,321	1,827	323	250	14,755
Buck Creek	Floy Icenhower, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741 526-3395	0					x	0	0	815	0	815	0	0	228	0	0	540	768
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Frankland 28734 524-4615	45					x	10	3	9,750	0	9,750	0	2,520	2,075	0	326	1,877	6,798
Calvary	Mary Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537 524-3409	6					x	5.5	7.3	1,470	0	1,470	0	1,550	25	0	97	325	1,997
Cartoogechaye	J. D. Dayton, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	10					x	0	0	9,517	115	9,632	0	3,988	0	0	433	3,088	7,509
Clear Creek	Griffin Hicks, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741 526-3231	1					x	0	0	3,821	0	3,821	0	932	0	0	65	502	1,499
Cowee	John Roper, Rt. 3, Box 1071, Franklin	35					x	7.3	3.3	33,558	0	33,558	0	6,493	0	8,798	1,998	6,970	24,259
Coweeta	Mrs. Louise Stiles, Rt. 1, Box 88, Otto 28763	3					x	0	0	10,865	0	10,865	0	2,700	1,140	0	378	874	5,092
Ellijay	Mrs. Linda Young, Rt. 5, Box 817, Franklin /524-4815	3					x	0	0					1,380	712	0	138	248	2,468
Fairview																			
Flats	David Zoellner, Dillard, Ga. 30537 746-5740	35					x	0	0	850	0	850	0	0	47	0	17	960	1,024
Franklin, East	Mrs. Marven Mason, Rt. 5, Franklin 524-3615	3					x	0	0	2,771	0	2,771	0	1,560	0	379	120	763	2,822
Franklin, First	Mrs. J. C. Jacobs, 389 Harrison Ave., Franklin	100					x	20	2.7	87,464	0	87,464	0	20,206	0	16,365	2,856	18,683	58,110
Franklin, West	Mrs. Jean Farmer, 137 Palmer Dr., Franklin	16					x	5	2.5	12,215	714	12,929	0	5,280	205	2,565	705	1,770	10,525
Gold Mine	Gerstelle Dendy, Rt. 1, Highlands 524-2307	0					x	0	0	6,317	134	6,451	0	1,130	1,979	0	275	1,075	445
Higdonville	Grayson Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734 524-2425	0						20	0	8,849	0	8,849	0	2,625	711	0	393	1,997	5,726
Highlands, First	Mrs. Edna Crisp, P.O. Box 788 Highlands 28741	13					x	6	3	30,825	30	30,855	0	8,554	0	7,300	824	7,567	24,245
Holly Springs	Mr. & Mrs. Noble Garrett, 36 Hillside, Franklin						x	9	4	12,528	0	12,528	0	4,065	2,180	2,755	544	2,088	11,632
Iotla	Melvin Penland, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734 524-3182	39						10	4.2	25,000	0	25,000	0	8,824	0	0	965	4,961	14,750
Liberty	Cecile Gibson, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	10					x	10		15,094	0	15,094	0	5,400	9,174	0	593	3,583	18,750
Longview	Zeb Guffey, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	30	x					10	0	22,937	0	22,937	0	8,020	0	0	2,562	9,425	20,007
Mashburn Branch	V. L. Holland, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0					x	0	0	7,270	0	7,270	0	3,148	1,800	0	516	2,208	7,672
Mount Hope	Mrs. W. N. Dalrymple, Rt. 1, Franklin 524-2843				3			12	3	42,600	0	42,600	0	6,765	5,220	6,946	1,469	18,479	38,879
Mountain Grove																			
Newman's Chapel	Vivian Davis, Dillard, Ga. 30537 746-5792	26					x	2.7	1.3	13,461	0	13,461	0	8,223	0	0	469	1,378	10,070
Oak Dale	Harvey Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 524-3964	0					x	0	0	4,470	0	4,470	0	1,951	0	0	100	1,213	3,264
Oak Grove	Mrs. Louetta Welch, Rt. 4, Franklin	0					x	10	0	7,678	0	7,678	0	4,020	2,549	0	360	0	6,929
Pine Grove	Carolyn Holland, Rt. 5, Box 336, Franklin 28734	Unk.					x	0	0	6,093	0	6,093	0	2,418	0	0	375	1,617	4,410
Pleasant Hill	Rebecca Mason, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	50				x		6	5	8,382	12	8,395	0	6,090	683	0	633	925	8,331
Prentiss	Evelyn R. Brendle, Rt. 2, Box 774, Franklin	10					x	0	0	6,489	48	6,537	0	3,005	0	0	197	3,887	7,089
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Joe Taylor, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	15					x	0	0	11,460	0	11,460	0	5,100	0	0	377	3,617	9,094
Rose Creek	Beulon McCall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0					x	0	0	713	50	763	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shortoff	Harris Elmore, Highlands 28741 526-2895	4					x	0	0	6,770	0	6,770	0	1,425	578	0	278	3,372	5,653
Sugarfork	Marie Jennings, 69 Baird Cove Rd., Franklin	Unk.					x	0	0	13,721	209	13,930	0	8,281	5,553	0	594	1,377	15,805
Tellico	Eva Mae Smith, Rt. 3, Box 420, Franklin 28734	0					x	10	0	3,032	0	3,032	434	655	1,832	146	83	361	3,087
Tesenta	Oscar Carpenter																		
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, Star Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	0					x	0	0	1,453	75	1,528	0	296	0	0	0	115	411
Walnut Creek	Everett Mashburn, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0					x	0	0	1,904	0	1,904	0	647	482	0	60	75	1,264
Watauga	Jim Hedden, Rt. 7, Box 805, Franklin 524-5982	25					x	0	0	12,917	0	12,917	0	3,727	1,455	0	846	2,918	8,946
Wells Grove	Jackie Cook, Depot St., Franklin 28734 524-7658	9					x	0	0	15,309	540	15,849	0	3,625	4,280	5,800	424	1,438	15,567
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin	0								1,455	0	1,455	0	705	0	0	0	677	1,382
White Oak Flats																			
Windy Gap	Mrs. Grady Duvall, Rt. 3, Box 53, Franklin	5					x	0	0	3,075	0	3,075	0	1,265	522	0	67	908	2,762
		510	1	0	3	1	0	36		$486,437	$2,677	$489,114	$5,434	$153,794	$56,251	$52,881	$20,946	$115,765	$384,897

Table H MISSION EXPENDITURES

YEAR ENDING June 30 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON

Association NORTH CAROLINA

State Cecil Frady

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary)

Address Franklin City North Carolina State 28734 Zip

		135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149
		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the aged	Designated: All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Aquone	Mrs. Willa Mae Jacobs, Gen. Del., Aquone 28703	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 40	$ 0	$ 0	$ 0	$ 40	$ 40
Bethel Hill	Jerry Owenby, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	40	0	0	80	80
Black Mountain	Jack Hodgins, Rt. 2, Box 1034, Franklin 28734	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	25	30	85	285
Briartown	Oscar Hamilton, St. Rt., Box 293, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,212	0	312	100	135	745	2,504	2,504
Buck Creek	Patrick Halyburton, Rt. 5, Box 256, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	50	25	0	100	100
Bruningtown	Bill Simonds, Rt. 3, Box 584, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	940	300	79	0	0	0	174	53	6	1,075	1,687	2,627
Calvary	Imogene Peak, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	40	30	25	25	25	25	40	25	25	0	220	260
Cartoogechaye	Mrs. Katherine Davis, Rt. 1, Box 200, Franklin	0	0	0	100	300	0	0	203	0	100	153	0	352	1,108	1,208
Clear Creek	Mrs. E. J. Chastain, Rt. 2, Box 28, Highlands	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	106	47	0	0	153	213
Cowee	Mrs. Raymond Womack, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,560	728	83	306	988	0	112	31	0	256	2,504	4,064
Coweeta	Mrs. Maggie Mason, Rt. 2, Box 1213, Franklin	0	0	0	100	100	0	115	110	0	100	0	0	0	425	525
Ellijay	Mrs. Irene Adams, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	915	915	35	0	0	0	0	0	130	0	0	100	230	1,180
Fairview Flats	Jerry Kilby, Rt. 1, Box 162, Rabun Gap, Ga. 30568	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	100	0	0	110	110
Franklin, East	Gilmer Breedlove, Rt. 6, Box 1105, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin, First	Mrs. Barbara Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 1327, Franklin	0	0	0	14,330	2,300	282	1,000	1,224	3	611	535	348	1,019	8,322	22,652
Franklin, West	Mrs. Maybelle Gregory, Rt. 1, Box 15, Franklin	0	0	0	577	120	0	24	175	0	115	17	41	225	717	1,294
Gold Mine	Ervin Keener, Rt. 1, Highlands 28741	0	30	30	100	60	25	50	85	0	100	100	50	0	470	600
Higdonville	Mrs. Vic Teague, Rt. 5, Box 868, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,929	530	0	0	229	0	195	155	0	0	1,109	3,038
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, Box 28, Scaly Mt. 28775	0	0	0	1,500	720	25	460	653	0	733	139	50	113	2,893	4,393
Holly Springs	Mr. & Mrs. Frank Plummer, Rt. 7, Box 286, Franklin	0	0	0	842	364	100	120	517	0	415	200	161	1,105	2,982	3,824
Iotla	Mrs. J. H. Williams, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,780	600	16	267	692	0	12	34	0	0	0	1,621
Liberty	Mrs. Sue McConnell, Rt. 4, Box 626, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	1,116	385	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	106	491	1,607
Longview	Jack Dockery, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	3,220	905	0	434	520	0	130	100	0	700	2,789	6,009
Mashburn Branch	Mrs. Sarah Belle Angel, Rt. 6, Box 978, Franklin	0	0	0	25	100	20	0	0	0	141	156	87	0	504	529
Mount Hope	Mrs. Kate Crawford, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	3,497	564	335	1,597	1,234	0	0	0	0	616	4,346	7,843
Mountain Grove Newman's Chapel	John Evans, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	227	257	484	240	120	0	445	250	0	307	307	364	0	0	2,210
Oak Dale	Harvey Roper, Rt. 3, Box 674, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101	0	0	0	0	101
Oak Grove	Virginia Smith, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	685	180	0	0	0	0	0	118	0	0	298	983
Pine Grove	Mrs. Marilyn Jones, Rt. 5, Box 336, Franklin	90	0	90	0	0	0	0	63	0	0	107	0	33	293	383
Pleasant Hill	Darrell Sanders, Rt. 2, Box 850, Franklin 28734	10	0	10	63	50	0	0	0	0	100	200	100	66	516	589
Prentiss	Evelyn R. Brendle, Rt. 2, Box 774, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	55	104	12	24	45	23	56	54	31	10	359	414
Ridgecrest	Mrs. Edward Crawford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	225	0	192	35	28	29	0	50	35	0	369	594
Rose Creek	Mrs. Della Cook, Rt. 5, Box 922, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	200	250	250
Shortoff	Harold Neely, Rt. 2, Box 20, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	72	167	84	0	0	0	79	113	77	50	570	642
Sugarfork	Dewitt Thompson, Rt. 5, Box 140, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	120	192	0	39	276	0	196	154	0	314	1,171	1,291
Tellico	John Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	112	8	0	0	0	0	18	24	9	0	59	171
Tesenta	John Brown, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734															
Union Hill	Troy Passmore, St. Rt., Box 328, Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	Elmira Hedden, Rt. 5, Box 511, Franklin 28734	50	0	50	30	30	50	0	0	0	30	35	0	0	145	225
Watauga	Mrs. Ralph Cassady, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin	0	1,200	1,200	0	550	0	0	0	0	254	245	0	2,059	3,108	4,308
Wells Grove	Mrs. Cathy Bolick, Sanders Town Rd., Franklin	0	0	0	170	300	0	0	220	0	65	256	0	0	841	1,011
West Union	Lee Ledford, Rt. 2, Box 996, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	0	50	50
White Oak Flats Windy Gap	Bedell Smith, 113 Mashburn St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	35	60	0	342	0	0	30	30	0	0	462	497
	TOTALS	$377	$2,602	$2,979	$33,558	$9,867	$1,328	$5,283	$9,759	$80	$4,917	$3,865	$1,205	$9,174	$43,947	$80,325

Table I SPECIAL INFORMATION

YEAR ENDING June 30, 1975 (Month & Day)

MACON

Association NORTH CAROLINA

State Rev. Earl Dendy

Moderator

Address Highlands City North Carolina State 28741 Zip

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	28 No. church-type missions started during the year	29 No. church-type missions currently operating	30 No. other-type missions started during the year	31 No. other-type missions currently operating	32 Number of church vocations volunteers	33 Kindergarten enrolment	34 Day care enrolment	35 Bus Attendance	36 Doctrinal Emphasis Week Enrolment	Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? 37 Major new bldg. or remodeling project within the year	38 Library	39 Recreation staff	40 Ch. the Sunday night place	41 Pastor educ. assistance	42 Baptist Men's Day	43 Lay Renewal Weekend	44 Broadcast on Radio or Television	45 Christian Educ. Comm.	46 Recreation or Act. Bld.	47 Lay Evangelism School	48 Day Camp	49 Day Camp Curriculum Prepared by BSSB	50 Christian Citizenship Sun.	51 Christian Home Week	52 State paper in budget
Aquone	Dallas Rowland, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Bethel Hill	None																									
Black Mountain	Bryson Hodgins, Rt. 2, Box 1033, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Briartown	Joe Cochran, Star Rt., Topton 28781	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Buck Creek	Clyde Vaughn, Rt. 1, Box 344, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Burningtown	Merritt Fouts, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Calvary	Elmos Henson, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Cartoogechaye	Roy Southard, Rt. 1, Franklin 29734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	n
Clear Creek	H. L. Wilson, Rt. 2, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Cowee	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Coweeta	Grady Stiles, Rt. 1, Box 188, Otto 28763	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Ellijay	Walter Young, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Fairview	None																									
Flats	George Nix, Scaly Mt. 28725	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Franklin, East	None																									
Franklin, First	Norman Gilbert, 32 Perry St., Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	y	n	n	n	y	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	y
Franklin, West	Fred Moore, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Gold Mine	None																									
Higdonville	Bill Higdon, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y
Highlands, First	Zeb Cabe, Box 28, Scaly Mt. 28775	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y
Holly Springs	W. G. Crawford, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	y	y
Iotla	Glenn Campbell, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Liberty	Lloyd Allen, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Longview	Clyde Drake, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	y	n	n	n
Mashburn Branch	Berlin Deal, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Mount Hope	Hilton Wallace, Rt. 1, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	n	n	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Mountain Grove																										
Newman's Chapel	David Chastain, Rt. 1, Dillard, Ga. 30537	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Oak Dale	Howard Higdon, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Oak Grove	Frank Browning, Rt. 4, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	y	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Pine Grove	Euell Owens, Rt. 7, Box 170, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Pleasant Hill	Dillard Sanders, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Prentiss	Harry Brabson, Rt. 2, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	y	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Ridgecrest	Frank Sellers, Rt. 7, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Rose Creek	Beulon McCall, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Shortoff	Ed Talley, Highlands 28741	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Sugarfork	Harold Crisp, Rt. 5, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Tellico	Earl Slagle, Rt. 3, Box 470, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Tesenta	John Brown, Rt. 6, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
Union Hill	None																									
Walnut Creek	None																									
Watauga	Gene Cassada, Rt. 7, Box 690, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	y
Wells Grove	None																									
West Union	Pearly Kirkland, Rt. 2, Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	y	n	y	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	y	y
White Oak Flats																										
Windy Gap	Thad Wilson, Rt. 3, Franklin 28734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n	n
	TOTALS	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	50	0																

HISTORICAL RECORD
North Carolina, Macon County Baptist Association
Organized in 1904

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1904	Franklin	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	J. A. Brendel
1905	Sugarfork	J. W. Kesterson	H. D. Dean	J. W. Watson
1906	Briartown	W. Bradley	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1907	Cartoogechaye	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	A. S. Solesby
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1908	Coweeta	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	T. C. King
1909	Burningtown	T. C. Bryson	H. D. Dean	W. L. Bradley
1910	Watauga	F. Morgan	A. C. Hurst	T. J. Vinson
1911	Liberty	T. C. Bryson	A. C. Hurst	R. P. McCracken
1912	Pine Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	F. M. Morgan
1913	Oak Grove	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	B. S. West
1914	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. T. Potts
1915	Pleasant Hill	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	R. T. Vann
1916	Mount Hope	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1917	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. L. Bradley
1918	Prentiss	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. C. Owens
1919	Sugar Fork	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	A. S. Solesby
1920	Holly Springs	J. C. Owens	J. M. Carpenter	J. A. Bryson
1921	Burningtown	J. A. Bryson	Robert Ramsey	D. C. McCoy
1922	Franklin	R. P. McCracken	Robert Ramsey	W. L. Bradley
1923	Nanahala	H. D. Dean	Robert Ramsey	G. A. Cloer
1924	Watauga	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	J. L. Kinsland
1925	Tellico	H. D. Dean	T. C. Bryson	W. R. Rickman
1926	Iotla	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	E. N. Gardner
1927	Holly Springs	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1928	Cowee	H. D. Dean	J. M. Carpenter	W. M. Lee
1929	Ridge Crest	W. M. Lee	R. M. Ledford	W. E. Abernathy
1930	Sugarfork	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1931	Pleasant Hill	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1932	Pine Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	J. F. Burrell
1933	Briartown	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	E. R. Eller
1934	Franklin	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. L. Bradley
1935	Oak Grove	A. S. Solesby	R. M. Ledford	W. R. Rickman
1936	Rainbow Springs	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. F. Mayberry
1937	Coweeta	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	C. F. Rogers
1938	Cartoogechaye	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. G. Benfield
1939	Clear Creek	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	M. A. Love
1940	Ellijay	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	R. W. Williams
1941	Newman Chapel	J. E. Rickman	R. M. Ledford	J. A. McMillian
1942	Burningtown	C. C. Welch	R. M. Ledford	G. A. Cloer
1943	Watauga	C. C. Welch	S. J. Smith	T. N. Carter
1944	Goldmine	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. C. Scruggs
1945	Holly Springs	J. H. Stockton	S. J. Smith	J. F. Marchman
1946	Mount Hope	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	J. I. Vinson
1947	Cowee	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. C. C. Welch	H. E. Marchman
1948	Highlands	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	C. E. Parker
1949	Ridge Crest	J. H. Stockton	Verlon Swafford	Paul Nix
1950	Sugarfork	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	E. N. Holden
1951	Franklin	J. H. Stockton	Mrs. Pearl Corbin	M. W. Chapman
	Watauga	----------	----------	W. L. Sorrells
1952	Oak Grove	H. H. Stocktor	Clyde Drake	John Corbitt
	Iotla	----------	----------	C. T. Taylor
1953	Newman's Chapel	W. L. Sorrells	----------	Arvil Taylor
	Tellico	----------	Vernon Higdon	Frank Reed
1954	Longview	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	----------
	Ellijay	----------	----------	John Buell

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HISTORICAL RECORD (continued):

Year	Church	Moderator	Clerk	Preached Sermon
1955	Higdonville	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	L. Eugene Walter
	Mt. Hope	.....	.....	.....
1956	Burningtown	.....	.....	W. A. Cloer
	Iotla	M. W. Chapman	Vernon Higdon	.....
1957	Watauga	M. C. Wyatt	Vernon Higdon	Clyde Rhinehart
	Ridge Crest	.....	.....	.....
1958	Liberty	L. Eugene Walter	Mrs. J. Campbell	Doyle Miller
	Wells Grove	.....	.....	.....
	Prentiss	.....	.....	Lee Crawford
1959	Wells Grove	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	R. R. Standley
	Holly Springs	.....	.....	J. H. Propst, Jr.
1960	Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. J. Campbell	L. A. Howard
	Ridge Crest	.....	.....	Thad R. Dowdle
1961	Pine Grove	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. J. Campbell	Clyde W. Collins
	Iotla	.....	.....	Paul M. Sorrells
1962	Sugar Fork	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Judson Hall
	Coweeta	W. A. Cloer	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Otto Parham
1963	Gold Mine	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	Robert L. Clark
	Highlands	M. I. Brock	Mrs. F. C. Jones	R. C. Bailey
1964	Windy Gap	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	Carl E. Sizemore
	West Franklin	M. I. Brock	James F. Collette	L. C. Pinnix
1965	Cartoogechaye	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Gene Southard
	Ridge Crest	Robert L. Clark	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Guy Duvall
1966	Oak Grove	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Clyde Collins
	Ellijay	Fred Corbin	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Cecil Frady
1967	Watauga	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Bill Shields
	Wells Grove	.....	.....	Earl Dendy
1968	East Franklin	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. J. W. Myers
	Pleasant Hill	J. C. Jacobs	Mrs. Cecil Frady	Rev. Roy Smith
1969	Mashburn Branch	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	Mack Reed
	Mt. Hope	J. C. Jacobs	H. L. Stewart	John R. Willis
1970	Newman's Chapel	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	M. I. Brock
	Holly Springs	W. T. Lane	H. L. Stewart	Cecil Frady
1971	Cowee	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
	Longview	W. T. Lane	Mrs. R. B. Hess	C. C. Welch
1972	Higdonville	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jack King
	Burningtown	Earl Dendy	Mrs. R. B. Hess	Jim Crayton
1973	Sugar Fork	Earl Dendy	Mrs. Linda Cabe	Glenn Whitley
	First Highlands	Earl Dendy	Mrs. Mary Justice	Gene Hawkins
1974	Pine Grove	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	Cecil Frady
	West Franklin	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	H. L. Stewart
1975	Aquone	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	Andrew Cloer
	Holly Springs	Jud Duvall	Mrs. Mary Justice	Andrew Cloer

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